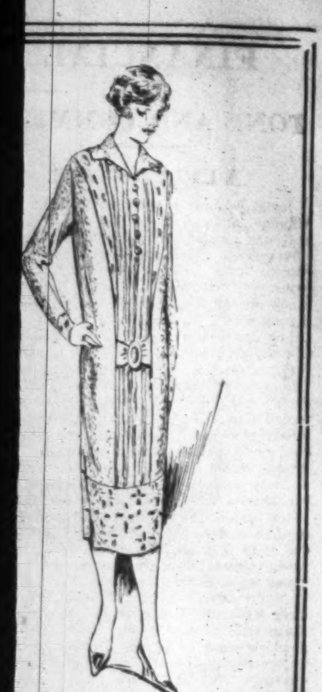


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BIRTHS.

CLARK—July 5, 1925, to Mr. and Mrs. Fred. Clark, St. Michael's, Inchicore, a son.

JEFFARES—July 28, 1925, at New street, Donaghadee, County Down, to Mr. and Mrs. M. H. Jeffares, a daughter.

LESTER—July 24, 1925, at 89 Lower Baggot street, to Mr. and Mrs. John E. Lester, of 45 Park avenue, Dublin, a daughter.

MAGNIER—July 28, 1925, at 40 Upper Fitzwilliam street, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Magnier, Millview, Fermoy, a daughter.

MOLLOY—July 21, 1925, at Private Nursing Home, 4, Clonmore road, to Mr. and Mrs. R. J. Molloy, 15 Quinsborough road, Bray, a daughter.

MURRAY—July 26, 1925, at "Grasmere," Zion road, Rathgar, Dublin, to the wife of John F. Murray (Agnes "Bardice" McGowan), a son.

STEVENS—July 26, 1925, at a Nursing Home, Dublin, to Mr. and Mrs. W. P. Stevens, The Chalet, Carrickmines, a son.

MARRIAGES.

FROST and DRAPER—July 24, 1925, at Zion Church, Rathgar, by the Rev. Noble Hamilton, M.A., Richard Dunbar Frost, younger son of Mr. and Mrs. J. Frost, "Moira," Garville avenue, Rathgar, to Violet Mary, elder daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. Draper, Garville avenue, Rathgar.

ROACH and IRWIN—July 29, 1925, at St. Michael's, Chester square, London, by the Rev. Canon R. A. Mitchell, assisted by the Rev. Paul Nicholls, the Rev. Cyril Croome Roach, of 2 Elizabeth street, to Eveline Mabel, youngest daughter of the Rev. Canon Edward Irwin, of Elphin, County Roscommon.

DEATHS.

ANNOUNCEMENTS received late for insertion in this column will be found on Page 6.

BANNISTER—July 29, 1925, in hospital, John, the beloved husband of Mary E. Bannister, formerly of Sunny Bank, Bray, County Wicklow. "Blessed are the dead who die in the Lord." Funeral at St Paul's, Bray, to-day (Friday) at 12 o'clock.

COATES—July 29, 1925, at Castle Lodge, Malahide, William, darling infant son of John and Dorothy Coates, aged 8 months.
Gentle Shepherd, Thou has stilled
Now Thy little lamb's brief weeping;
Ah, how peaceful, pale, and mild,
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And no sigh of anguish sore
Heaves that little bosom more.

DAGG—July 30, 1925, at her daughter's residence, Gas Works, Monaghan, Catherine, widow of the late John Dagg (formerly of Nenagh), aged 80 years.

FAIERS—July 29, 1925, at 18 Ranelagh avenue, Dublin, Frederick David, darling son of Fred. and Lillie Faiers, aged 1 year and 11 months. "Jesus called a little child unto Him."

LAWLOR—July 30, 1925, at St. Vincent's Hospital, Dublin, the result of an accident, William James Lawlor, 8 Synnott row, N.C.R., member of Amalgamated Society of House Painters. R.I.P. Funeral arrangements later.

McCORMICK—July 29, 1925, at a Dublin hospital, William John McCormick, of 41 Booterstown avenue, County Dublin. "Redeemed." Funeral private.

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PENDER—July 29, 1925, Margaret Emily Pender, 75 Manor street, Waterford, "entered into rest." Funeral to-day (Friday), 12 o'clock, to Cemetery, John's Hill. No flowers, by special request.

PETTIGREW—July 30, 1925, at the residence of her sister, Mrs. R. H. Shaw, 6 Glena terrace, Wexford, Jeanie, widow of the late Thomas Pettigrew, Farnogue, Wexford, in her 84th year. Funeral 11 a.m. to-morrow (Saturday) to Rathaspeck. No flowers.

SKEHAN—July 30, 1925, at her residence, Aubrey Lodge, Shankill, Mary Margaret, eldest daughter of Michael and Mary Skehan. Deeply regretted by her sorrowing parents, sister, brother, and large circle of friends. R.I.P. Funeral to Little Bray Cemetery to-day (Friday) at 3 o'clock. No flowers, by request.

WALPOLE—July 25, 1925, Edward Francis, elder son of E. Horace and A. Dorothy Walpole, of Windsor Lodge, Monkstown, and Mount Usher, Rathnew, County Wicklow.

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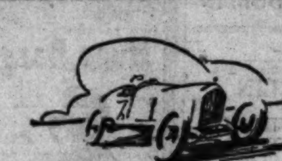
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NURSE, fever trained, required in September for preparatory school, Northern Ireland, as Assistant Matron; good needlewoman and carver; Protestant. Address "Z 2108, Nurse," this office. 29 E

NURSE Attendant Wanted, middle August; mind invalid lady; helpful in house; R.C.; £26; references required.—S 606, this office. 30 B

PHARMACEUTICAL Chemist Wanted, to manage branch shop; state religion, salary outdoor, send references. Also one to do Locum for fortnight, about the end August. Address "Z 2027, Chemist," this office. 27 A

QUALIFIED Assistant required as Locum, for five weeks, commencing 14th August.—Sucha, Chemist, Kingstown. 28 F

QUALIFIED Chemist Wanted for Southern town (indoor); state age, salary, etc. Address "Z 2101, Chemist," this office. 29 A

RESPECTABLE Lady wishes position as Nurse Companion and Housekeeper; 10 years' experience; highest reference; town or country.—S 420, this office. 28 F

WANTED, experienced Manager for high-class Pharmacy; state age, qualifications, salary, testimonials (copies).—S 372, this office. 27 E

WANTED, a Pharmacist for a Dublin hospital; state terms, qualifications, etc. Address "Z 2007, Pharmacist," this office. 26 X

TUITIONS AND SCHOLARSHIPS.

ALL Professional and University Prelims. Oral and Correspondence. Success lists free.—McGUIRE'S COLLEGE, 5 Gardiner's Row.

ALL University and Professional Preliminaries—Solicitors', Surgeons', Veterinary, Pharmaceutical Preliminaries; University Entrance; Day, Evening Correspondence Classes.—W. St. George Breaker, 9 Molesworth street, Dublin. 30 17

A HIGHLY educated Girl, with Intermediate certificates, seeks position Governess; no music. Address "Z 2114, Governess," this office.

CERTIFICATED Governess (R.C.) desires re-engagement, visiting or resident; boys prepared for public schools.—R 0 339, Irish Times Branch Office, Rathmines. 29 A

EXPERIENCED R.C. Governess seeks position; English (thoroughly), French (acquired abroad), advanced piano, theory, drill, arithmetic, needlework; entire charge. Address "Z 2064, Governess," this office. 28 F

EXPERIENCED R.C. Nursery Governess requires post; Teacher; English, French, Music, Needlework; good testimonials; interview Dublin. Address "Z 2154, Governess," this office. 30 B

FIRST class Private School in North Wales will accept a few Pupils 8 to 14, at half fees, in September, to extend preparatory department. Address "Z 965, School," this office. X

KENMARE College, Dublin—Protestant Girls' Intermediate School Vacancies. Terms strictly moderate. Reduction for sisters. 8 22

MATRICULATION College, 30 Grafton street—Day, Evening, and Correspondence Classes Autumn Matriculation, and all Professional Prelims. Interviews 10-12 and 5-6. Terms on application Principal. 27 E

SHORTHAND, Typewriting, Bookkeeping, etc.—Metropolitan College (Gillespie's), 100 Lower Mount street. 'Phone 3055

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TEACHER (Female) Wanted for Corboy National School; thirty on roll; Presbyterian or Protestant preferred; additional grant given. Apply Manager, Corboy Manse, Edgeworthstown, Co. Longford. 28 F

UNWANTED Wireless Signals—How to eliminate them. See the "Weekly Irish Times" To-day.

YOUNG Governess (Protestant) wishes post with nice family; good testimonials. Address "Z 2054, Governess," this office. 28 F

TUITIONS CONTINUED.
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AGENT FOR GOVERNESSES AND SCHOOLS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Advises Parents and Managers. Tel. No. 5258. T

LADY Principal Wanted for small School in Co. Limerick; salary in accordance with N.E. regulations; local aid £22 10/-; free house and garden; applications entertained from teachers not yet finished their course. Address "Z 2109, Principal," this office. 29 A

MATHEMATICS Teacher Wanted for backward Boy, at latter's residence, Donnybrook; prepare October Little Go examinations.—S 587, this office.

NURSERY Governess for three children, ages 5, 6, 8; good teacher; country; state salary, copies references. Address "Z 2009, Governess," this office. 26 E

REGISTERED Secondary Teacher, R.C., required for School in vicinity of Dublin; state subjects and qualifications. Address "Z 2152, Teacher," this office. 30 F

YOUNG Lady requires Music Lessons, with use of piano for practice.—S 564, this office. 30 F

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A LADY wishes position, Help to elderly or invalid lady; housework, sew; age 27, R.C.; very highly recommended. Address "Z 2149, Help," this office.

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EX-D.M.P., aged 40, seeks situation as Agent or any position of trust; highest references.—S 567, this office.

GENTLEMAN wishes to recommend a young Man (I.C.), of excellent character, thoroughly sober and reliable; can drive motor, do carpentry, and has fair knowledge of gardening; has looked after electric light plant, and understands care of machinery. Apply S 525, this office. 29 F

GROCERY and Provision—Girl, with over 2 years' experience, wishes to hear of Vacancy; can be well recommended; I.C., and will give complete satisfaction; city preferred.—E., c/o Manley's, Newsagent, Rathdrum, Co. Wicklow. 28 F

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LADY, experienced, would Care elderly Person; assist generally; Daily.—S 616, this office. 30 B

LADY highly recommends a superior Maid as Housekeeper to gentleman or lady.—762, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

RESPECTABLE young girl, Protestant, wishes to serve time, Grocery, Bar, Help in House; splendid reference; Dublin or suburbs preferred. Address Mrs. Brown, Dromone Post Office, Loughcrew, Oldcastle, Meath. 30 B

SAXAPHONIST, Sight Reader, desires engagement in Dublin or country.—S 494, this office. 28 F

SINGLE young Pensioner, well recommended and educated, willing to undertake any work requiring care and responsibility.—S 514, this office. 29 A

THOROUGHLY experienced Mineral Water Foreman requires situation; understands all branches of trade, including beer and stout bottling; highest references. Address "Z 2033, Foreman," this office. 27 E

TAILOR'S General Cutter, 25 years' experience from London firms, seeks change, Belfast, Dublin, Limerick. Write T. X., 6 Bloomsbury street, London, W.C. 29 A

USEFUL Help, Protestant, wishes post in small family; good references. Address "Z 2081, Help," this office. 28 F

USEFUL Help or Housekeeper, I.C., care invalid; or similar position of trust; excellent references; interview if required. Address "Z 2104, Help," this office. 29 A

WELL educated Lady, experienced, seeks post, Shorthand Typist or Clerk; highest references.—S 340, this office. 27 E

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GOFF'S BLOODSTOCK SALES
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DUBLIN HORSE SHOW.
Grooms requiring employment at these Sales should apply outside Horse Gate (Railway Siding), or record name and address with
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DUBLIN.

BOY Wanted, gentleman's family; milk, garden, generally useful; £20.—Mcalands, Navan. 28 F

MARRIED Couple required for country house, Sussex, England; wife as Cook-General, husband as House-Parlourman; only those who are trained servants and have held similar situations need apply; good references essential; no children; state age and wages; Housemaid also required. Mrs. White, 63 Mt. Ephraim, Tunbridge Wells. 29 E

STUD Groom required for the Cloghran Stud. Apply E. O. Dawson, Cloghran, Co. Dublin.

TRUSTWORTHY General Man Wanted; Protestant; able to milk; understand horses, and generally useful; state wages (indoor).—S 535, this office.

WANTED, Man and Wife, Protestants, to run house, family of four; woman must be good cook; man do housework, wait table, and make himself generally useful; must be highly recommended. Apply, stating age and wages expected, Box No. 1757, Irish Times Branch Office, Belfast. 28 E

WANTED for Co. Donegal, Herd and Yardman, Protestant, able to milk; Wife to take charge of dairy if required; wages 25/-, house, 1½ tons potatoes, 3 tons coal, and 1 quart milk. Address "Z 2100, Herd," this office. 29 A

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ADVERTISER wishes ladies or gentlemen to recommend quiet, trustworthy, competent, all round Gardener, Kilkenny district; single; live out. Advertiser guarantees each man permanency. State wages. Address "Z 2051, Gardener," this office. 27 E

GARDENER Wanted immediately, Protestant, Midlands; married; wife help in house; good all round, active man; interview Show Week. Address "Z 2125, Gardener," this office. 29 A

WANTED, energetic and experienced Gardener for South of Ireland (Protestant; married, no family; knowledge of propagation of Alpines and shrubs desirable; wife supervise small dairy; state terms, full particulars.—S 371, this office. 27 A

WANTED, Gardener, third week in August, for Co. Meath. Can any lady or gentleman thoroughly recommend a really good Working Gardener? Family objected to; must be all round; state age and wages expected with house, vegetables, milk; man to help.—Box 474, Eason's Advertising Service, Dublin. 30 B

MALE SERVANTS DISENGAGED.

A MOST respectable young Man seeks position as Indoor Servant, Hall Porter, or otherwise in religious house or Catholic college; experienced, obliging and well recommended. Address "Z 2129, Man," this office. 29 A

GENTLEMAN recommends trustworthy man, married, Caretaker; understands gardening, housework.—198 Phibsborough road, Dublin.

HERD, expert, open to engagement; working Son; well recommended.—Mangan, Baytown Park, Dunboyne, Co. Meath. 30 F

MARRIED Couple want situations, Wife good Cook, Man Indoor Servant or Handyman; good references. Apply S 469, this office. 28 F

YARDMAN, married, Protestant, wishes situation; good milker, or help on farm.—Lucas, Blainroe Lodge, Wicklow. 27 E

YARDMAN, married, R.C., wishes situation; good milker; help on farm; highest references; state terms. Address "Z 2144, Man," this office. 30 B

STEWARDS AND GARDENERS DISENGAGED.

GARDENER, good experience, all round man; can take charge; Protestant; no family, one girl.—Gardener, 5 Grattan street, Dublin. 30 B

GARDENER requires situation, England or Ireland; Protestant, single; excellent references.—Elliott, Edergold, Ardara, Donegal. 28 F

GARDENER, single (Working) desires engagement; thoroughly experienced in all branches; highly recommended.—Box G., Lonergan, N.C. road. 28 F

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WANTED, situation Plain Gardening; good vegetable grower; general man about gentleman's place; R.C.; highly recommended. Address "Z 2066, Gardener," this office. 28 F

WORKING Steward wants position; excellent tillage, crops, dairying; all classes stock; good herd; not afraid of work; Wife Dairy if required; highly recommended. Address "Z 2111, Steward," this office.

YOUNG, experienced Farmer, Protestant, single, desires position as Land or Working Steward; can be well recommended. Address "Z 2090, Steward," this office. 28 F

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HOUSEMAIDS, Head, Single, Under; P'maids, H. and P'maids, Superior Generals; liberal wages; immediate engagements.—Miss McCaul's Select Bureau, Wicklow street. 30 F

MATRON, Registry Office, Irish Times, requires Cooks, House Parlourmaids, Housemaids, hotel and private; must be well recommended. 30 F

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WANTED immediately, Daily Worker, 10 to 1; cooking, laundry; 7/6 weekly.—14 Northumberland road.

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There are many vacancies in the REGISTRY of the "Irish Times" for all classes of Trained and Untrained Servants. Good wages offered. No fees charged. MATRON can recommend comfortable Homes where servants can stay while waiting for situations. T

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COOK, first class, Wanted for Hazlewood, Sligo, August 6th, for six weeks; kitchenmaid kept. Write, stating wages, and references—Mrs. Trench, The Firs, Croxley Green, Watford, England. 27 E

COOK General Wanted for South England, family two; good plain cooking essential; interview Dublin. G 96, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 27 E

COOK General Wanted, middle of August, country, age 30; two ladies; two maids.—Lady Charlotte Stopford, Ravenswood, Newtownbarry, Co. Wexford. 28 F

COOK General, under forty; small modern house; two in family; help given; good wages; twenty minutes electric train, Waterloo; good recent references essential. Apply Mrs. E., "Kewstoke," Claygate, Surrey.

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EXPERIENCED good Cook General Wanted; small dairy and fowl; good references and cooking essential. Apply Mrs. Comerford, Ardavon, Rathdrum, Wicklow. 27 E

GOOD Cook General Wanted for England (2 other maids kept), about August 8th. Write, enclosing papers, to Mrs. C., 86 Banbury road, Oxford. 27 E

WANTED, very Good Cook; kitchenmaid kept. Apply, with all particulars, to Mrs. Hall-Dare, Newtownbarry, Co. Wexford. 27 A

WANTED for gentleman's country place, young Woman, not over 40, widow might suit; must be good cook; state age, wages and copies references; Protestant preferred, but not essential. Address "Z 2076, Cook," this office. 28 E

WANTED, good Cook General (one been General would suit); no fowl, dairy, or washing; country place; small family.—Mrs. Tighe, Ballinapark, Wicklow. 28 F

WANTED, for Protestant institution outside Dublin, a good Plain Cook; capable of teaching girls. Reply, with testimonials, G 64, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 29 A

WANTED, experienced Cook, accustomed to dairy; wages £28-£30; also House Sewingmaid, wages £22-£24; country house, Co. Tipperary; own washing; for September 1st. Address "Z 2131, Cook," this office. 29 A

WANTED, young Cook General, Rathgar; four in family; no children; wages £30. Apply, with copies.—S 623, this office.

WANTED, at once, Good Cook General, small country house; also first class House Parlourmaid; both have good experience. Reply Killurah Glen, Castletownroche, Co. Cork.

GENERALS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED General Wanted; good cook; well recommended. Call to-day, "Hamilton," 77 Ailesbury road, Donnybrook.

EXPERIENCED General (two miles from Mullingar), good cook, help with poultry; wages £30. Address, with references, "Z 2163, General," this office.

DOMESTICS CONTINUED.

FOR small Bungalow, Staffordshire, to travel there with lady—Refined General, plain cooking, small washing. Send copies references, Mrs. Bladen, Wavecrest, Vico road, Dalkey. 28 F

GOOD General Wanted for Kingstown. Reply, with copies of two last discharges, General, Walton's, Kingstown.

WANTED, middle of August, two sisters or friends as General and Nurse Housemaid; two in family, and infant; Kingstown. Apply, with copy references, stating ages, wages required, to S 425, this office. 28 F

WANTED, experienced General; Killiney; modern non basement house; small family; wages £25 to £30. Address "Z 2053, General," this office. 28 F

WANTED, a smart, experienced General in August, good plain cook, doctor's house, in Co. Meath; no washing; three in family; help given; must have good reference; state age, wages, and copies of references. Address "Z 2088, General," this office. F

WANTED, experienced General, good plain cook; small family (Sandycove); wages, references.—G 306, Irish Times Branch Office, Kingstown. 29 F

WANTED, General for down stairs; must be a good plain cook and laundress; state wages.—Mrs. Molloy, Carrowree Park, Roscommon. 29 E

WANTED, capable young General for family of four (two children). Apply 48 St. Lawrence road, Clontarf. 29 E

WANTED, General for one gentleman and lady, quiet country place, Co. Leitrim; age about 35; milk one cow; no washing, fowl, carrying of coal or water, knives nor boots; temporary or otherwise. Address "Z 2158, General," this office.

WANTED, General; family two; good wages; comfortable home. Call 24 Main street, Blackrock.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS WANTED.

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid, £30-£35, Wanted; own bedroom; family 6; soldier servant helps silver cleaning; send full reference.—Mrs. S., The Beeches, Farnborough, Hants. 29 E

EXPERIENCED House Parlourmaid Wanted, R.C.; must be agreeable to help generally; second girl kept; seaside near Dublin; wages £24 commencing. Address "Z 2134, Maid," this office. 29 A

WANTED, well trained Housemaid for Dublin, August 12th; good plain sewing, and attendance at table required; four in family; four maids kept. Reply, with copies of discharges, stating religion, wages required, to S 337, this office. 27 E

WANTED, young House Parlourmaid, experienced or partly trained, Rathgar district; family four; no children; other maid kept. Apply, with copies, stating age and wages expected.—S 624, this office.

WANTED immediately, trained Parlourmaid; 3 maids kept; send references. Apply Mrs. Babington, Dasnery, Cork.

WANTED by Irish lady, an experienced House Parlourmaid, for country town near Reading; two other Irish maids kept; to return with cook from her holiday, about 20th August; whole fare paid if in situation 6 months, otherwise half; must be thoroughly well recommended; good wages. Write to Mrs. Oldman, Boldrewood, Wokingham, Berkshire.

WANTED, Housemaid; general would suit; wages about £18.—S 600, this office.

NURSES WANTED.

AGENT for NURSES, MAIDS and ATTENDANTS. Miss Bellingham Todd, 5 Grafton street, Dublin. Interviews daily. Tel. No. 5258. T

EXPERIENCED, kind Children's Nurse Wanted, Wales. Send particulars, age, wages, copies discharges, "Z 2137, Nurse," this office. 29 E

PROTESTANT Nurse (lady preferred) for Greystones; girl 2½, infant later; state experience, age, salary, references. Address "Z 2052, Nurse," this office. 28 F

WANTED for baby aged 10 months, reliable, elderly Nannie, uniform, and preferably Catholic.—Dr. O'Brien, Woodhouse, Sheffield. 29 A

WANTED, experienced Infant's Nurse, R.C., take baby from month; Blackrock district. Apply Mrs. Ryan, Ivanhoe, Lansdowne road. 30 F

WANTED, intelligent Girl, with experience, as Children's Nurse, country. Send particulars and references, Massy, Glandalane, Fermoy. 30 B

KITCHEN, LAUNDRY, ETC., WANTED.

WANTED, Singlehanded Kitchenmaid. Apply, with all particulars, to Mrs. Hall-Dare, Newtownbarry, Co. Wexford. 27 A

DOMESTICS DISENGAGED.

HOUSEKEEPER—Situation required as Working Housekeeper; highest references: I.C.—S 639 this office. 30 F

LADIES requiring Servants are invited to write or call Registry, Irish Times Office. 30 F

WORKING Housekeeper—Young Lady wishes to hear of vacancy; highest references; age 28; wages £36; Protestant. Address "Z 2148, Housekeeper," this office. 30 B

WORKING Housekeeper or General to small family, country; reference.—S 565, this office.

YOUNG Woman, do light housework; mind children.—S 570, this office.

COOKS AND DAIRYMAIDS DISENGAGED.

EXCELLENT Cook, trustworthy and reliable, seeks situation; middle aged; go temporary; highly recommended.—S 478, this office. 29 A

SUPERIOR Girl, Cook General or General; good cook; recommended.—1508, Irish Times Branch Office, Blackrock. 28 F

YOUNG Cook General or General, plain cooking; satisfactory papers.—S 505, this office. 29 E

GENERALS DISENGAGED.

GENERAL seeks place for three weeks, city; highest references.—S 572, this office.

STEADY, respectable, honest General wishes place. Interview Commercial place, Kingstown.

YOUNG Girl wishes place as General Servant; will be disengaged shortly.—761, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge.

HOUSE AND PARLOURMAIDS DISENGAGED.

A HOUSE Parlourmaid wishes situation; South side preferred; highly recommended.—S 571, this office. 30 F

HOUSE Parlourmaid disengaged; understands her duties; temporary, permanent; long papers.—S 563, this office. 30 B

LADY recommends 2 young country Girls as Housemaids; one with experience as parlourmaid, the other to train. Address "Z 2070, Housemaids," this office. 28 F

LADY recommends young House Parlourmaid, country or England later.—S 577, this office.

RESPECTABLE country Girl wishes to be trained House Parlourmaid; well recommended. Address "Z 2102, House Parlourmaid," this office. 29 E

TWO friends desire situation together, train Housemaids; good references.—S 507, this office. 29 E

YOUNG House Parlourmaid, R.C., disengaged end of August; 6 years last place. Address "Z 2140, House Parlourmaid," this office. 30 F

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CHILDREN'S Nurse, experienced, infant or older children; highly recommended. Seen to-day, 11-1, 24 Main street, Blackrock.

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SEWING Machine (Wilcox and Gibbs), automatic, new, perfect working order, £4 10/-.—389, Irish Times Branch Office, Baggot street Bridge. 27 E

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FOR Sale, at bargain price, 32 x 12 Motor House Boat, fully equipped, ready to live on board; range, patent w.c. Trial and inspection invited at Kearney's Boat Yard, Ringsend. 28 A

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FOR Sale, Titan Tractor and Clayton and Shuttleworth Threshing Mill, 3 ft. 6 in. drum, fitted with elevators, double blast, barley awner, full set riddles and belts; also 3 Furrow Self-lift Cockshutt Plough. This outfit cost £830, and has only been in use two seasons. What offers? Address "Z 2084, Tractor," this office. 28 F

HAY Bogies and Wheels for all makes; lowest prices.—Thomas Lenehan and Co., 124/5 Capel street, Dublin. 27 E

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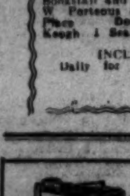
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Books of the Week.

MR. BELLOC'S HISTORY.

ENGLAND THROUGH FRENCH EYES.

French writers have a peculiar gift for treating weighty historical subjects in a light, vivid fashion. In brilliant generalisations they flash light through forests of confused facts. Mr. Hilaire Belloc is French in his gifts of style and exposition, and the first volume of his "History of England," now published, displays all the merits and defects of a French view of English history. Daring, and even dazzling, is the author's treatment of the obscurities of distant periods. Yet at the end we feel a lack of understanding of the English nature—a lack of sympathy with the English spirit. This book is invaluable as a corrective to other histories; it suggests much, explains much, and leaves the reader clearer in his understanding of English origins; but if it were to stand alone it would give a false image of the English past.

In this first volume Mr. Belloc brings his story from early times to the Battle of Hastings. Particularly valuable to the student is the skilful presentation of English history as a phase of European history, and the tracing of the effect on island fortunes of continental movements. Mr. Belloc argues afresh the theory which he propounded in an earlier work—composed during the war with Germany—that England is not a Teutonic land in any considerable degree. He holds that Dane and Saxon never occupied England in large enough numbers to dilute in any great measure the primitve blood of Romanised Celtic Britain. This, of course, assists his Dantesque worship of the Roman Empire. He explains the passing of the Celtic speech, not as the orthodox historians do, by assuming a vast influx of races of Teutonic speech, but by a curious theory which is peculiarly his own.

This theory is as follows:—When Augustine set about the fresh conversion of Britain to the Christian faith he was refused the assistance of the Celtic bishops dwelling in the remote parts of the land where the marauders had failed to break down the native order. Accordingly he had to work with assistants wholly drawn from the small, thoroughly Teutonised, corner of England in which he was first received. Only South-East England, says Mr. Belloc, was English-speaking when Augustine began, but as his missions went out over the Celtic parts of what now is England, they spread the Anglo-Saxon speech as well as the Christian religion. Thus Britain became Anglo-Saxon in speech as it became Christian anew, simply because the Anglo-Saxon language was associated with the higher civilisation propagated by the Church. The flaws in this theory need not be examined in the present review.

Mr. Belloc's theories are vitiated by their controversial bearing. The suggestion lingers in all his chapters that he shaped his hypothesis before he picked his facts. In order to make Rome, pagan and Papal both (for he follows Dante in his imperialism), the centre and spring of all civilisation and religion, he waves aside Celtic Christianity as "schismatic," thus making a present to his opponents of one of their main contentions. He has no use for anything that is not Latin. The Teutons always were outside the pale; now the Celts are thrust forth also. For him the Church is the Roman Empire. One wonders what place he imagines the Slavs and the Asiatics have in the Divine scheme of things.

We have remarked that Mr. Belloc is unsympathetic to the English nature. While he misunderstands Englishmen and Protestants generally, he equally misunderstands England in Papal days. He uses the word Catholic on every page, but it does not connote for him either the Papal or the Protestant idea. Rather is he a Gallican, to whom Catholic means Roman-French, and to whom all things unfamiliar to France are foreign.

"A History of England." Vol. I. To 1066. By Hilaire Belloc. London: Methuen. 15/- net.

"THE SHOW."

Mr. John Galsworthy's play, "The Show," was first produced at the St. Martin's Theatre, London, on the 1st July last, and is running there now. The critics received it badly, but it is hard to understand from reading the play how it failed to be hailed as one of its author's best. The play that reads well does not always act well, yet this play seems to abound in matter for delicate and powerful acting, while the action marches from emotion to emotion, always holding the interest at a high pitch of excitement. There are some passages of comic relief which are done with remarkable skill, heightening the tragedy and themselves drawing pungency from their grim setting.

The first scene plunges us into drama with the first speech. The curtain rises. A woman enters, goes to the telephone and rings up a man to tell him that her husband has shot himself dead. Thus, within a few moments of the curtain's rising we are faced with a startling situation. The telephone is replaced as a sound is heard without, and a detective enters. At once we have a familiar Galsworthy scene—troubled humanity struggling with the ruthless, searching law. After the detective comes a reporter, with his penetrating and alarming enquiries. The play which follows is occupied with the horror of refined spirits wrestling against Law and Press.

If the play has a "purpose" it is to expose the baseness of sensational journalism. We are taken into a newspaper office, where anguished relatives strive to prevent the publication of the spicy scandals which have been brought to light by the prying reporter—and strive in vain. Yet Mr. Galsworthy is too true an artist to heap the blame for this ugly element of our civilisation all on the shoulders of the newspaper men. He shows us one of the humbler persons affected by the exposures betraying himself as a cause of such exposures in other cases. Thus—

> Odiham—What call 'ad you? I've always read your paper and enjoyed it.
> Reporter—Exactly, Mr. Odiham.
> Odiham (agape)—'Ow's that?
> Reporter—If you didn't enjoy cases like this we shouldn't put them in, you know.

Husband and wife had lived an estranged, but not a publicly scandalous life, before the suicide, and now both his and her reputations are dragged in the mire. In vain is the plea made: What concern is it of the world that secret sores should be exposed? In vain is privacy sought to be defended. The law pleads cruel necessity in seeking out the whole of even third persons' private doings, and the sensational Press pleads the right of the public to know all. The public at last seems to be gloating mumbo-jumbo battening on human souls.

The last scene is placed in the waiting-room of a coroner's court, where the widow appears after her torturing ordeal in the witness-box—a nervous wreck, a spiritual ruin, more piteous than a broken body thrown from the rack. Then comes the real explanation of the suicide, revealed by a delayed letter, and the tragic realisation bursts upon the sufferers that all this agony was suffered in vain. The scandals had nothing to do with the death: the Law, the Press, and mumbo-jumbo have done their work unnecessarily.

The curtain does not fall on this startling moment. There follows one of the most sardonic passages in modern drama. The jurymen get the room to themselves to discuss their verdict. Now, in these petty and grotesque minds—their speech as comic as that of Dogberry—we see the finer folk imaged as in a distorting mirror. The story is gone over and the gloating spirit of gossip relishes afresh the evil things that were revealed in that unnecessary evidence.

When the curtain does fall, it is on the bitterest line that ever Galsworthy wrote. Lady Morecombe, mother of the dead man, is lingering in tears. The public that has been present in the court is coming away. Three ladies who have secured admission with a gentleman of public position discuss the sensation which they have so much enjoyed. "I'd no idea it'd be so frightfully interesting," says one; another: "I've always wanted to see a case"; and a third: "I was never so thrilled in my life as when that girl——." Again: "There's nothing like real life, after all. Beats the theatre hollow." Suddenly, these people, who so much recall pagan Romans coming from the Games, notice Lady Morecambe, who has heard their talk, and they hurry out in embarrassment. Says Lady Morecambe, repeating the man's phrase with terrible meaning: "The Show is over."

"The Show." By John Galsworthy. London: Duckworth. 3/- net.

GEORGE BIRMINGHAM IN HUNGARY.

"This is not a guide-book," says George Birmingham in his latest book, "A Wayfarer in Hungary." By his own definition—a production similar to that compiled by M. Baedeker—his statement is correct. He does not, it is true, give full details invariably; he does not state the exact hour and minute at which trains and steamers enter and leave the more important towns; he does not point out everything that should be admired. Yet most of his readers will probably disagree with the author's description. George Birmingham has done for Hungary what Jerome K. Jerome did for the upper reaches of the Thames in "Three Men in a Boat." He has written a rambling account of the towns he has visited with the personal element continually dominant.

What did not interest George Birmingham he has ignored completely; but fortunately his interests are very comprehensive. Art, architecture, commerce, history, politics, internal and external communications, climate, national costumes and customs, all and many others are treated in the author's inimitable manner, and, unless we are very much mistaken, readers on finishing the last chapter will feel that they have got a real knowledge of present conditions in Hungary.

The book will have a double appeal for Irishmen. Firstly, the author is a well-known Irishman whose books have for long afforded much pleasure to countless numbers of his fellow-countrymen. Judged as to style, his latest book will not belie his reputation. Secondly, Hungary, thanks to the late Arthur Griffith, will always interest Irishmen. Perhaps the best chapter in the book is that devoted to Hungary's attitude towards the provinces she has lost to Austria, to Czecho-Slovakia, to Serbia, and to Roumania. Here George Birmingham has given a clearer and more easily comprehensible account of the effect of the Treaty of Versailles on Eastern Europe.

The book is by no means solely serious, either in style or in matter, and the author's humorous yet keenly perceptive personality, pervades every page. There are numerous good stories told against all parties, and two will, perhaps, bear repetition. When seeking audience of a Cabinet Minister, the author was refused admission. His typist, who accompanied him, succeeded in gaining entrance by using the unforgivable insult, "One would think this was a *Balkan* State." The other illustrates the attitude of Hungarians to Rumanians. A Rumanian general visiting a hotel in a province that was once Hungarian found that nothing but Magyar was spoken. "You should always keep a waiter who speaks Rumanian," he told the hotel-keeper. "Ah! we had one," replied the latter, "but once we had taught him to read and write he returned to your country and became a professor in one of your universities."

"A Wayfarer in Hungary." By George A. Birmingham. London: Methuen. 7/6 net.

THE FUTURE LIFE.

In May of this year Dr. McNeile delivered the Moorhouse Lectures in St. Paul's Cathedral, Melbourne, and in this book we have the lectures in a slightly expanded form. Those who know Dr. McNeile will feel that his intellectual powers and his deep personal spirituality qualify him to treat the problem of the future life in a scholarly and devotional way.

The first section of the book deals with arguments for immortality under the heads of Soul, Spiritualism, Moral Values. Mr. McNeile denies that the claims of spiritualism as evidence are proven, and concludes that on other counts we reach moral certainties with regard to the soul's survival of death.

Part II. deals with those who are being saved. After a critical examination of such ideas as "eternal life," "judgment," "probation and progress," "resurrection," the conclusion he arrives at is that it is possible to convince ourselves of very strong probabilities in regard to the resurrection of the spiritual body of those who are being saved.

In Part III. we have a consideration of the case of those who are being lost. The traditional theory, which denies a continuance of probation, the theory of conditional immortality, and that of universal restoration, are passed under review calmly and dispassionately. Dr. McNeile gives no decision as to the truth of any one of these theories. "We must be humble enough to leave the problem in the hands of the God of love and righteousness."

"The Problem of the Future Life." By A. H. McNeile, D.D. Cambridge: Heffers. 3/6 net.

THE THEORY OF EVOLUTION.

Mr. Ward Cutler's book on evolution is issued at a timely moment. No doubt, the theory of evolution, and other modern scientific views of the world and human origins and development, have profoundly modified our older theological and philosophic conceptions, but they have impaired nothing vital in our belief in God and Divine Providence and the spiritual nature of man. To many of us the theory of evolution as applied not only to the development of species to which strictly it relates, but also to the progress of mankind, the development of his institutions, the growth of his Scriptures has given a new and convincing conception of God.

Mr. Cutler is concerned solely to set forth in untechnical language the latest modern views on evolution, together with variation and heredity. Before we can come to philosophical questions we must know what evolution really is, and there could be no sounder guide than the author. He presents, first, the geographical and geological evidence for evolution, then the anatomical and biological evidence. Two following chapters deal with evolution before Charles Darwin, and what Charles Darwin taught.

The remainder of the book, and the most difficult part of it for the unlearned deals with heredity, Mendelism, cytology, inheritance of sex, variation and biometry. It is difficult, but those who master these chapters will have laid a sure foundation of knowledge. All scientific knowledge in its higher branches is difficult, and, indeed, much of it wholly unintelligible except to experts, but Mr. Cutler has succeeded wonderfully well in meeting the needs of average educated readers.

"Evolution, Heredity and Variation." By D. Ward Cutler. London: Christophers. 4/- net.

FOX-HUNTING IN THE NEW CENTURY.

On June 5th we reviewed a book by Mr. William Scarth Dixon on "The Influence of Racing and the Thoroughbred Horse on Light Horse Breeding." Now, by the same publishers, Mr. Dixon gives us a companion volume on "Fox-Hunting in the Twentieth Century"—a book rightly described as indispensable to sportsmen. The second half of this volume, which gives an exhaustive record of meetings in England during the years 1914-1924, may be said to have historical value, and will give the book value as a standard reference work. The first half is more "readable," for it discusses a number of topics of lively interest.

Thus, the first chapter considers the changed conditions of modern hunting. More people, says Mr. Dixon, hunt from home to-day than aforetime—an index of altered circumstances. The "new hunting man" is the theme of another chapter. The place of the horse show in country life is not to-day what once it was, but Mr. Dixon shows how it can be improved. He also discusses hound shows and similar topics. The book is alike more pleasant to handle and more valuable by reason of the fine series of photographs reproduced depicting well-known hunting people, meetings, famous horses and hounds.

"Fox Hunting in the Twentieth Century." By William Scarth Dixon. London: Hurst and Blackett. 21/- net.

RECENT FICTION.

The tales of Mrs. Gerould are polished fragments of artistry, but gloom, and even a tang of horror, are the prevailing notes. In "Blue Bonnet" a young wife peoples her environment with imaginary figures conceived in a diseased brain, and cunningly strives to mislead her husband and others as to their reality, while the author imparts an atmosphere of infectious sadness. "An Honest Man" paints, with a certain tragic humour, the dilemma of a wealthy American, who, as the widow of a Hungarian count, comes under the influence of the Bolshevist leader, Radin, and finds to her dismay that the Communistic principles, to which she has theoretically agreed, are to be rigidly applied to herself. All themes are handled with power and a sense of the inevitable sequence of cause and effect.

"Valiant Dust." By Katharine Fullerton Gerould. Harrap. 7/6 net.

"Unravelled Knots" is a collection of armchair detective stories. A quaint old frequenter of cafes, who ceaselessly ties and unties a piece of string, discusses the unsolved mysteries and crimes which are daily reported in the papers, and offers a more or less satisfactory solution to each. His method is one of elimination, and this affords the author ample scope for the display of her ingenuity; but in a few cases, such as "The Mystery of the Dog's Tooth Cliff," this process jars on one's sense of psychological fitness. Some of the stories are treatments of actual events, and it will be easy for readers to guess the origin of "The Mystery of the Ingres Masterpiece."

"Unravelled Knots." By Baroness Orczy. Hutchinson. 7/6 net.

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"The Starkenden Quest." Gilbert Collins. Duckworth. 7/6 net.

Pretty Nora Carleton, by her distaste for the humdrum parochial life to which she is condemned, is driven into marriage with a steady young farmer somewhat beneath her in the social scale. John Caryll is confident of winning his young wife's love; but there are misunderstandings, partly through the philandering of the young squire, and Nora has a hard lesson to learn before all is well. Miss Grant displays both penetration and humour.

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No Just Cause. By Temple Lane. **Riding to Orders.** By Nat Gould. **Naomi the Modern.** By Cecil H. Bullivant. **The Fight for the Child.** By Fred M. White. **No Choice.** By Edmund B. d'Auvergne. **The Slim Outline.** By Amy J. Baker. John Long. 7/6 net apiece.

Cousin Christopher. By M. E. Francis. T. Fisher Unwin. 7/6 net.

IRISH LANGUAGE.

Sunus na h-Eoluiochta (Elements of Science). By Tomás Mac Conraoi, M.A., and Eamonn O Donnchadha. Dublin: Browne and Nolan. 3/6 net.

[This book should be entitled "Elements of Chemical Science." In five chapters, illustrated with diagrams, the authors treat of (1) the air; (2) the composition of the atmosphere; (3) oxygen, nitrogen and carbon dioxide; (4) water, and (5) acids, alkalis and salts. There is a useful vocabulary of chemical terms.]

MISCELLANEOUS.

The Bounty of Sweden. By W. B. Yeats. Dublin: Cuala Press.

The Religion of To-morrow: A Friendly Correspondence between H. H. Powers, Ph.D., and William Archer. London: Watts. 1/- net.

Idylls of Youth. By Edith Burchill. Belfast: Erskine Mayne. 1/3 net.

Frederick Ozanam in His Correspondence. Translated from the French of Monsignor Baunard. Dublin: Catholic Truth Society of Ireland. 7/6 net.

Historical Records of the Royal African Corps. By Major J. J. Crooks. Dublin: Browne and Nolan. 3/6 net.

[The author, sometime Colonial Secretary of Sierra Leone, tells the story of the Royal African Corps from 1800 down to 1821.]

Rebuilding Europe. By Ruth Rouse. Preface by Dr. John R. Mott. London: Student Christian Movement. 4/- net. (Paper, 2/6 net.)

[A vivid narrative of European Student Relief, numerous illustrations.]

The Growth of Brotherhood. By the Rev. Arthur Dakin, D.Th. London: Student Christian Movement. 2/6 net.

[A historical sketch of the growth of the conception of brotherhood during the Christian era. The author is Principal of the Bristol Baptist College.]

The Organist and His Choir. By Augustus Toop. London: *Musical Opinion.* 2/- net.

The Pillar-Box and Other Poems. By Robert Kirkwood. Amersham: The Mascot Press. 1/- net.

NEW EDITIONS.

The Lordship of the World. By C. J. O'Donnell, ex-M.P. (Third Edition). London: Cecil Palmer. 5/- net.

The Ipane. By R. B. Cunninghame-Graham. London: T. Fisher Unwin. 3/6 net.

The Queen's Fillet. By Canon Sheehan. London: Longmans, Green. 5/- net.

[On July 10th we reviewed at some length six of the late Canon Sheehan's novels in this well-produced edition. The present novel differs largely from Dr. Sheehan's usual vein, being a historical story of the French Revolution.]

Ravenshoe. By Henry Kingsley. London: Milford 2/- net

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PRODUCE AND FOOD.

CATTLE.

DUBLIN METROPOLITAN CATTLE, North Circular road, Thursday.—Our live stock market to-day was somewhat on the larger side of last week's gathering in both branches; but in a casual way it was generally surmised that supplies looked shorter. However, in view of the bank holiday business both at this and the other side of the water, and the coming Horse Show, there was a decidedly better inquiry all round; but, strange to say, prices were not influenced or materially strengthened thereby. In fact, cattle are coming in still in rather poor condition and quality, and, although we are well into the summer now, they do not seem to have thrived much in flesh up to the present, so that prices generally with regard to them may be written at a further drop of 1s. to 2s. per cwt. For sheep and lambs there was no quotable change established, but primer sorts, especially lambs, commanded more attention at, perhaps, firmer prices; otherwise ovine stock showed much the same irregularity as previously. At current prices there was a somewhat better and readier clearance than before, but many drafts of both cattle and sheep—driven out unsold last day—were found difficult to negotiate again on previous terms. With regard to Canadian cattle, Montreal advices show that freight accommodation was not sufficient for the number of cattle available this week, and prices in the circumstances were much weaker. The number of cattle altogether embarked was 1,984, which were for Liverpool, Manchester and Glasgow, none going to Cardiff. Prices, as stated, were on the easier side; prime, well-meated steers 8.00 dollars to 8.35, and medium qualities from 7.00 to 7.75 per 100 lbs.; cows from 4.00 to 4.50, and bulls anywhere from 4.00 to 5.25 per 100 lbs. The freight cost is now 20 dollars per head for any port, and prices of Canadian cattle across Channel in sink are making ½d. to 1d., if not more, over the value of Irish cattle.

	Numbers on sale this week as compared with last.	Corresponding weeks of 1924.	1925.
Cattle	5,353—increase 218	4,906	1,878
Sheep and lambs	8,849—increase 330	12,030	6,698
Veal calves	10—increase 2	8	2

The beast trade opened very much livelier, but nice quality, handy-weighted beasts were mostly in request, with preferential demand for heifers. Bullocks of medium to heavy weight were more tedious and uncertain to cash, and altogether the scale test of market showed a depression of at least 1s. to 1s. 6d., in many cases 2s. per cwt. Short horned or coloured bullocks and heifers of choice class made from 48s. to 50s., and occasionally 51s. per cwt., whilst blacks figured from 51s to 52s. 6d.; anything beating the latter price must be reckoned in very fancy category. For good medium cattle terms were from 44s. to 47s. 6d., commoner and lean descriptions from 37s. 6d. to 42s. 6d. per cwt. Beef cows, in sympathy with other branches of market, were even more difficult to place, and for nice quality young, fat country cows prices were more within 38s. to 42s. 6d., which was, perhaps, 2s. to 3s. worse than last day's values; whilst best class of cows from local dairy yards made from 32s. 6d. to 38s., lean and inferior sorts, say, 25s. to 30s. per cwt. The sheep and lamb trade, although showing a much healthier inquiry, proved difficult enough to propel in a general way. For choice pens of wether sheep, say, of 8 or 10 head there was a ready enough sale; but butchers did not want a number of sheep. The premier sorts of lambs were not too numerous, and only enough to cover home and shipping requirements. After these both sheep and lambs, and especially the commoner and lean sorts, proved hard to sell, and were rather uncertain in price; but altogether, taking one thing against another, it was difficult to see any real quotable change in the market generally. For prime wether mutton prices were 11½d. to 12½d., perhaps 13d., per lb. for extra nice quality; medium classes of mutton 10d. to 11d., inferior sorts 9d. to 9½d. per lb. Prime spring lambs made from 54s. to 65s and 66s. per head, some extra heavy, nice quality up to 70s. and 71s. apiece in a few cases. Although lambs in some instances may be reckoned as standing butchers in less value than mutton, as they appear to be weighing out—sinking offal—at 1s. to 1s. 1d. and 1s. 2d. per lb., medium classes of lambs went from 42s. 6d. to 52s. per head; small and stortish sorts, say, from 30s. to 40s. apiece. There were ten veal calves on market, which were not very keenly bid for, and sales do not appear to carry much interest.

DUBLIN DAIRY CATTLE (North Circular road).—There were 284 head of milch cows and springers on market. In view of improved condition of pastures and demand for milk, trade was keener for useful fresh stockers, mostly those suitable for shipment, but local dairymen still cautious buyers. Best class heifer milchers £25 to £27 and £28 each, perhaps £30 occasionally for something of extra breeding and promising class; heavier types of milchers of Scotch sort £28 to £34 and £35 each, ordinary stockers £21 to £24 each, and small and inferior cows £15 to £20 each.

DUBLIN PIG.—A rather smaller number of swine were marketed here this week, entrants totalling 783 head. Trade much improved both as regard demand and value. Prime 8 to 12-stone hogs made an advance of fully 5/- cwt. and heavier classes a proportionate rise, although business for them remains rather cautious. Sows still a disappointing enquiry. Choice small weight hogs 100/- to 105/-, and perhaps 107/6 in occasional fancy transactions. Heavy to medium weights 95/- to 97/6, and commoner sorts proportionately back to, say, 90/-; sow pigs from 55/- to 65/- per cwt.; forward meaty classes of stores continue relatively very dear and wanted, others figure at up and down terms.

YORK.—No fresh shipments of Irish stores forward, and small supply of those left over from last week. Very little trade for Irish or English. Dairy cattle slow trade, with larger entry of calving heifers, late rates barely maintained. Sheep trade quiet, with fair supply of lambs, but no offer for lambs up to noon.

BRISTOL.—Beef moderate supply, 110/- per cwt. best quality dead weight. Average supply mutton, 1/3 to 1/4; lamb, 1/6 to 1/8. About 500 store cattle, trade slow, prices not maintained; some unsold. Milch cows £23 to £30, up to £42 for extra.

BIRMINGHAM.—Small to fair supply of pigs; [illegible] fairly active, but smalls a slower tendency; [illegible] fully maintained. Sizeable bacons 17/6, 16/6 to 17/6, and sows 12/6 per score dead.

GRAIN.

GRAIN CARGOES.—BALTIC.—Floating and forward cargo market pre[illegible], oils and prices moved in buyers' favour [illegible]; excellent advices from the United States. [illegible] different. No. 1 Northern October-November 54/6, [illegible] 55/-. Australian afloat [illegible] loading 59/4, 62½lbs. [illegible] and lower to sell; sold 59/3, October-[illegible] white Karchi afloat [illegible]6/6. Rosafe 63lbs. [illegible] cargoes in slow re[illegible]. Plate steamers afloat August 41/-, August-[illegible] September-October Plate June-July sold [illegible] 39/1½ to 39/-, 480lbs.; the Katerina [illegible] 6th August sold 41/9. [illegible] of No. 4 Canadian [illegible] 33/6. American malt[illegible] 9. Tunisian ditto 34/3, [illegible] 400lbs. OATS quietly steady; [illegible] August, sellers 25/9; No. 2 [illegible] 28/9, No. 2 feed ditto 23/9

CORN.—This market will be closed Monday next for the August holiday. Argentine cables were offset somewhat [illegible] able weather on the Continent, and forward [illegible] of WHEAT here were the turn easier for distant months at the outset, and afterwards gave way to a liberal extent on reported offerings from Russia, and in the end marked a decided loss on the day. July, however, showed a heavy advance owing to shorts covering. C.i.f. parcels No. 1 Manitoba October-November sold 52/3. New South Wales due to-day 55/6 per qr. C.i.f. parcels MAIZE lower: River Plate June-July sold at 41/3, July-August 39/3 to 39/-, August-September 38/3 per qr. Wheat on the spot nominal. Maize spot parcels scarce and River Plate held at 10/- per cental. FLOUR quiet, easier. Graded wheat futures closed 7½d. per cental over Wednesday night for July, but other months 1½d per cental lower. Maize options nominal.

BRISTOL.—English wheat 52/- to 55/-, foreign more inquiry for old, millers' stocks running low. No. 1 Northern Manitoba 65/- to 65/6. Grinding barley improving, unaltered. Maize firm, scarce, 1/- to 1/6 dearer. Oats quite unchanged.

MANCHESTER.—Wheat—English quietly steady, 54/6 to 55/6 per quarter on rail; foreign also steady. Maize very scarce, Karachi 10/2 to 10/3 per cental. Oats—Cheshire steady, 10/8 to 10/10 per cwt. on rail. Barley—English feeding firmer, 41/-. Beans 47/- to 48/- per quarter on rail. Flour quiet, 46/- to 46/6 per sack at mill. Offals generally dearer.

PROVISIONS.

LIVERPOOL.—This market will be closed to-morrow and Monday next for the August holiday. Irish BACON remains steady at late rates, and Danish firm, with a fair demand, at fully recent currencies. Canadian and Wiltshires also firmly held at unchanged prices. The market for American bacon here again generally steady, with holders asking late prices, bellies exceptionally being 1/- dearer at 117/- to 120/- per cwt. owing to relative scarcity, but buyers still operate cautiously, and purchases in some cases can be made on easier terms. HAMS quiet at about late rates, though supplies are fully equal to requirements. Shoulders steady for squares and quiet for picnics at late prices. LARD on the spot steadily held at unchanged prices for prime steam, but American refined dearer at 89/6 to 91/6 cwt. CHEESE steady for Canadian, but New Zealand 1/- easier at 111/- to 112/- cwt. BUTTER quietly steady at late rates. EGGS steady at 14/- to 17/- per 120 for Irish hen and ducks nominal.

LIVERPOOL REFINED LARD "FUTURES."—Chicago cables were better than expected, and, with offerings here made more sparingly during the early session, prices improved 3d. to 6d. per cwt. September sold at 90/6, November 91/6, July and August quoted 89/- to 89/6, October 91/3 to 91/6, January 85/6 sellers, and cash ex quay 88/9 to 89/- per cwt. Afternoon cables were irregular, but prices here showed no further change from morning. July quoted 89/- to 89/3, August 88/9 to 89/3, September 90/6, October 91/3, November 91/- to 91/3 per cwt.

LONDON CENTRAL MEAT (SMITHFIELD).—Supplies to-day, 2,227 tons—356 British and Irish, and 1,871 imported. BEEF—Quiet trade fresh killed; supplies at easier prices; chilled supplies ample for fair trade at about recent rates. Scotch short sides 8/4 to 8/10, English long 6/4 to 7/-, Danish 6/4 to 6/8, States and Canadian Birkenhead killed 6/4 to 6/10, Australian hindquarters frozen 3/6 to 3/8, crops 2/4 to 2/6. Uruguayan hindquarters 4/4 to 4/8, forequarters 2/8 to 3/0. MUTTON—Quiet demand for moderate supplies of fresh killed at weaker values. Fair frozen supplies; trade quiet at unchanged prices. Scotch 8/8 to 9/4, English 8/- to 9/-, Dutch 7/4 to 8/4, New Zealand wethers 4/4 to 5/8, ewes 3/4 to 4/4, Argentine wethers 3/6 to 5/-, ewes 3/4 to 4/-, lamb (Scotch) 9/- to 10/-, hill 8/8 to 9/8, English 8/8 to 9/8, Irish 9/- to 10/-, Dutch 8/- to 9/4, New Zealand 7/4 to 8/4, Australian 6/- to 7/4, Argentine 6/- to 7/8. PORK—Supplies moderate for quiet trade; prices weaker. English best under 10st. 6/8 to 7/-, 10 to 15st. 6/6 to 6/10, 15 to 20st. 6/6 to [illegible]

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LONDON MINING MARKET FIRM.

PLATINUMS CHEERFUL.

In the Mining market the undertone was firm, but business was by no means brisk until late in the day, when several counters became prominent, and a fairly general forward movement was witnessed. In the Kaffir section the very satisfactory nature of the latest development news from "T.C.L." Property, Onverwacht, directed considerable attention to the shares, which were bought in large quantities at advancing prices. Transvaal Developments, S.A. Townships, and Hendies Platinums were sympathetically affected, the last-named being also helped by the receipt of a cablegram announcing that over a distance of 3,000 feet on the farm Wynnaarshoek sectional samples give an average value of 2.7 dwt. over a width of 48ins. Shafts are being sunk to prove the continuity of the reef in depth, and the consulting engineer considers the results already obtained as very satisfactory. The Rhodesian department was almost lifeless, and Chartered, Cam and Motor, and Tanganyika, after modest fluctuations, all closed as on Wednesday, while Zambesia Exploring suffered from profit-taking. Rhodesian and General Asbestos continued in request, and Bwana M'Kubwa again strengthened. Diamond descriptions were strong, and De Beers Def. were largely bought on home and Paris account, though some of the inquiries from the latter centre were thought to have emanated from London. The buying was accompanied by a reiteration of the rumours mentioned in this column some time ago of the arrangement of a new agreement between the producers for the sale of the stones. Rio Tinto, in the Copper list, were again subject to realisations, and further declined, but Mount Lyell moved up. Elsewhere Burma receded the turn, but Chosen Syndicate hardened. Closing prices:—

SOUTH AFRICAN.

M.U.	July 20.	
1⅛	Anglo-Amer. Corp.	1⅛-1¼+ [illegible]
13/6	Anglo-French	13/9-14/3
2⅛	Brakpan	2⅛-2⅜+ [illegible]
14¼	Cent. Min'g £8	14¼-14⅜+ [illegible]
8/0	Central W'st (5/).	7/3 7/9
2½	City Deep	2⅜ 2½+ [illegible]
1½	Con. Goldfields	1⅝-1¾
12 0	Cons. Main Reef	12/9-13/3
13/9	Con. M. Sel. 10/	13 9-14 3
2⅛	Crown Mines (10/)	2⅛ 2¼
16/0	Durban Deep	15/9-16/3
9/9	E. Rand Prop.	9/[illegible]-9¾
2⅛	Geduld	2⅛-2½
20/3	Gen. Mining	19 9 20/3—0/3
10/0	G. M. Investment	9/9-10/3
7⅛	Government Mines	7⅛ 7¼
9/3	Hendies Plat. (7/)	9/9-10/3+0/3
6/3	Hendersons (5/)	5/9-6/0
41/0	Johan'burg Cvst.	41/9-42/3+0/9
5/9	Kleinfontein	5/3-5/9—0/3
12/0	Knight's	12/3-12/9
17/0	Langlaagte Est.	17/6-18/6
[illegible]	Lydenburg Plat.	[illegible]
3⅛	Meyer & Charlton	3⅛-[illegible]
4½	M'derfontein (10/)	4½-4⅝
1⅛	Modder B (5/)	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	Modder Deep (5/)	2⅛-2⅜
8	Modder East	[illegible]
1⅛	New State Areas	1⅛-1¼
5.0	Nigel	4/6-5/6
7/0	Nourse Mines	6 0 6 6
2⅛	Rand Mines (5/)	2⅛-2⅜+ [illegible]
17/0	Randfontein	16/6 17/0—0/3
1⅛	Rob'son D A (1/)	1⅛-1¼
[illegible]	Robinson Dp. B.	1⅛-1⅜+ [illegible]
10/9	Rose Deep	10/6-11/0
[illegible]	S.A. Gold Trust	[illegible]
24/0	S.A. Towns (10/)	23/6-24/0+0/3
2⅛	Springs Mines	2⅛-2¼
14/6	Sub Nigel	14/0-14/6
7⅛	Trans. and Del. B.	7⅛-7⅛*
4⅝	Trans. Cons. L (10/)	4⅝ 4¾+ [illegible]
1⅛	Trans. Devel.	1⅛-1⅜+ [illegible]
42/3	Union Corp (12/6)	44/3-44/9
22/3	Van Ryn	21/0-22/0*
3⅛	Van Ryn Deep	3⅛-3⅜
22/6	Vereeniging	22/3-22/9 - 0/3
[illegible]	Village Deep	9/0-9/6
[illegible]	West Rand Con.	11/6-12/0+0/3
22/3	West Springs	22/3-22/9+0/3
20/0	Wit'errand Deep	19/3 20/3

RUSSIAN.

7/3	Russo-Asiat. Cns.	5/4½-7/+1/1½
3/6	Russian Mining	4/0-5/0
[illegible]	Siberian Props.	5/0-6/0
[illegible]	Spassky	[illegible]

RHODESIAN.

M.U.	July 20.	
7/0	Bechuanaland Ex.	6/3 6/9*
10/0	Beira Town Sites	9/9-10/9
5/3	Bwana M'Kubwa	5/6-5/9+1½
2⅛	Cam and Motor	2⅛-2¼
25/0	Chart'd B.S.A.	24/10½-25/1½
0/6	Falcon	0/9-1/3
18/9	Gaika Gold	17/0-18/9
10/7½	Globe & Phoenix (5/)	10/0-10/6
6/10½	Gold F. Rho. (10/	6/9-7/0
[illegible]	Lonely Reef	[illegible]
1⅛	Rezende	1⅛-1¼
4/0	R. Broken Hill (5/	3/9-4/1
17/6	Selukwe (2/6)	9/10½-10 4½
1⅛	Shamva Mines	1⅛-1⅜
[illegible]	Sherwood Starr (5/)	[illegible]
1⅛	Tanganyika	1⅛ 1⅜
45/3	Vic. Falls Ord	44 0 45/0
32/0	do. Pref.	31/6-32/6*
1⅛	Wankie Col. (10/)	1⅛-1⅜
5/3	Willoughby	5/[illegible] 6
20/0	Zambesia Exp'.	19/9-20/3—0/6

DIAMOND.

[illegible]	Angola Diamond	[illegible]
19/3	Con. D. S. W. A.	19/3-19 9—0/6
10⅜	De Beers Def.	11⅛-11⅜+ ⅛
12⅛	do. Pref.	12⅛-12⅜
3	Jagersfontein	3⅛-3⅜+ ⅛
[illegible]	N. Val. River	[illegible]
[illegible]	Premier Pf. (5/)	[illegible]
12/9	West African	13/3-13/9

AUSTRALIAN.

1⅛	Amal. Zinc	1⅛-1¼
1/1½	Associated (4/)	1/0-1/6
23/0	Broken Hill Prop.	23/0-24/0+0/3
3⅛	B. Hill Sth. New	3⅛-3⅜+ ⅛
1⅛	Electro Zinc Pref.	1⅛-1⅜
5⅛	North Broken Hill	5⅛-5⅜
15/4½	Sulphide Ord.	17/6 18/6
13/0	South Kalgurli	12/9-13/9
34/3	Zinc Ord. (10/-)	35/0-36/0—0/3
3⅛	do. Pref.	3⅛-3⅜

WEST AFRICAN.

12/9	Ashanti Gold 4/	12/6-13/0
9/0	Fanti Cons. (8/).	9/0-9/6—1½
14/6	Gold Coast Amal.	13/9-14/3
4/0	Taquah & Abosso	4/0-4/6—1½

TIN.

M.U.	July 20.	
14/7½	Anglo-Con. '10/-'	14/6-15/0
3⅝	Aramayo Mines	3⅜ 4
8/6	Bauchi Ord. (10/)	8/0 9/0
12/9	do. Pref (10/)	12 0 13/0
10/1	Bisichi	10/0 10/6
2⅛	Gopeng	2⅛ 2⅜
78/1	Ipoh	77/6-78/6—0/3
16/0	Kaduna Synd (5/).	16/3-17/3
2⅛	Kamunting	2⅛-2⅜+ ⅛
1⅛	Kramat Pulai	1⅛-1⅜
4⅛	Malayan T.D.	4⅛-4⅜+ ⅛
14/6	Mongu	14/3-14/9—0/3
1⅛	Naraguta	1⅛-1⅜
12/1½	Pahang (5/-)	11/6-12/0
1⅛	Rambutan	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	Renong	2⅛-2⅜+ ⅛
14/9	Rooo (4/ Shs)	14/0-15/0—1½
4⅛	Siamese	4⅛-4⅜
11/0	South Bukeru	12 0-12/6
26/1	Tavoy	40/6-41/6
3⅛	Tronoh	3⅛-3⅜+ ⅛

COPPER.

13/0	Arizona (5/-)	[illegible]
[illegible]	Mount Elliott (£5)	[illegible]
21/0	Mount Lyell	22/0-23/0+0/3
6/6	Mount Morgan	6/0-7/0
1⅛	Namaqua	1⅛-1⅜
41	Rio Tinto (£5)	40⅛-40⅜—½
7/6	S. American (2/)	7/0-7/6

MISCELLANEOUS.

2 0	Bingo Pref.	⅛-¼
7/9	Brit. Platinum	7/3 7/9
14/7½	Burma Corp.	14/10½-15/1½—1½
7/3	Champion Reef	7/6-8 0+0/3
1⅛	Chosen Synd "A"	1⅛-2 + ⅛
—	Colombian Props	19/6-20/6
1/6	Corderoy Synd.	1/0-1/6
1⅛	Huronian Belt	1⅛-1⅜
7/4½	Keeley Silver	7 3-7/6
6/0	Kirkland Lake	7/6-8/0+0/6
1⅛	Mexico Mines	1⅛-1⅜
2⅛	Minerals Separ't'n	2⅛-2⅜
10/9	Min. Crp. of Can.	10/6-11/0
13/6	Mysore (10/-)	13/0-14/0
6/6	Nat. Min. (8/-)	6/6 6/9
6/6	Nundydroog	6/0-7/0
—	Ooregum	13/6-14/6
7/3	Oroville	6/6 7/6
6/0	Porcupine Gold	5 9-6/9
15/3	St. John Del Rey.	14/9 15/9+0/3
23/1½	San Francisco (10)	23/0 24/3
9/1½	Santa Gertrudis	9/0-9/6
—	S. Amer. G. Areas	[illegible]
4/4½	Vipond	4/0-5/3
1⅛	Waihi Gold	1⅛-1⅜— ⅛

* Ex. Dividend † Ex. Rights

[illegible] 6/6, sows fat 5/8 to 5/10, Dutch 6/8 to 7/-. VEAL—Ample supplies for demand; prices inclined to weaken. English best 6/- to 8/-, bobbies 4/8 to 5/4, Dutch 6/8 to 8/4, bobbies 4/8 to 5/4, Belgian 6/- to 8/-. EGGS—Inquiry moderate for good supplies at late rates. English new laid 20/-. Grade 1, 16/6 to 17/-. Grade II. 15/- to 16/-. Irish new laid 14/6 to 16/-. Belgian 14/6 to 15/6. Danish 16lb. 14/6 to 15/-, 18lb. 16/6 to 17/-. Dutch mixed 14/6 to 14/6, brown 16/6 to 17/-. French mixed 14/- to 14/6, Italian 13/6 to 14/6, Chinese 10/6 to 12/-, Russian fresh 11/6 to 12/3, Lithuanian 12/6 to 13/6, ducks' eggs English 13/6 to 14/6, Dutch new laid 13/6 to 14/-, Irish 14/- to 14/6. POULTRY—Quiet demand at steady prices. Surrey spring chicken per lb. 1/7 to 1/11, Surrey chicken 1/5 to 1/9, country 1/5 to 1/8, Irish 1/5 to 1/5, Belgian 1/6 to 1/8, Russian 10d. to 1/1, Dutch 1/- to 1/6, American 1/2 to 1/5, Hungarian 11d. to 1/1, English hen old 9d. to 11d., live 8d. to 10d., Irish 8d. to 10d., Russian 9½d. to 9½d. Aylesbury ducklings 1/2 to 1/4, country 1/- to 1/1, American 1/4 to 1/5, live ducks old each 1/- to 1/1, English geese 10d. to 1/- per lb., Dutch 10d. to 1/-, Chinese 9d., pigeons (Bordeaux) each 1/4 to 1/10, tame 7d. to 9d., hazel hens 9d. to 10d. FRESH OFFALS—Fair demand, good supplies recent rates. Ox heads 1/- to 1/2, hearts 2/4 to 3/-, livers 5/4 to 6/8, tripe 3/4 to 3/8, kidneys 7/- to 7/4, tongues 6/8 to 7/4, tails 5/- to 6/-, breads 6/- to 12/-, sheep plucks 5/4 to 6/8, pigs do. 4/8 to 5/4.

DUBLIN VEGETABLE.—Fair mid-week supplies on market, and good all-round sale for leading qualities of stuff. Cauliflowers 1/6 to 3/6 and 4/8 per dozen. lettuce 5d. to 1/- ditto. York cabbage [illegible] 4/6 to 5/-, and per load from 10/6 to 15/-, 40/- and 52/-, and extra up to 61/-; rhubarb 1/6 to 2/6, 3/- and 4/- per dozen bunches, carrots 1/3 to 1/4 per ditto. broad beans 1/- to 1/8, peas 2/- to 3/- per float, and 16/- to 20/- per bag; onions 9d. to 1/- per bundle, thyme 4d. to 6d., cucumbers 3/- to 7/- per dozen.

DUBLIN POTATO.—Supplies of potatoes coming in on a liberal scale and of good quality. Prices down 2/- per cwt. but do not appear to maintain stability in town distribution, terms being rather in and out at from 8/- to 10/- per cwt. Still, Dublin rates are generally much above English and North of Ireland currencies.

CORK BUTTER.—Somewhat quieter tone, prices steady. Creameries 192/- to 197/- per cwt., choicest salted 196/- upwards, choicest mild 190/- special dairies extra.

COPENHAGEN BUTTER.—Weekly quotation—410 kroner per 100 kilos, approximately £9 12/3 per cwt., a decrease of 3d. on the previous week.

DUBLIN FISH.—Altogether fish supplies from local and country sources were on a rather small scale. Chief arrivals embraced 25 packages of sole, 27 chests of lobsters, 241 boxes of stuff from two steamers, 24 boxes of herrings and a few of mackerel. Trade good for head and fresh fish. Salmon 1/9 to 2/2, 2/4 and 2/6 per lb., grilse 1/- to 1/10 per lb., best lobsters 12/6 to 20/- per 13, others 2/- to 4/-, 7/6 and 10/- per lot, turbot 1/- to 15/- and 18/-, brill 6d. to 6/-, each, best soles 30/- to 44/- per 9 pairs, mediums 20/- to 27/6, slips 10/- to 17/6 per 9 pairs; plaice on boards 5/- to 6/- and 8/- per lots of 4 and 8, half boxes of plaice 60/- to 80/-, dabs, etc., 20/- up; white sole around 40/- to 50/-, codfish 56/- to 70/-, hake 20/- up to 60/- and 65/-; haddock 50/-, pollock 20/- to 25/-, ling 15/-, conger eels 25/- to 30/-, ray 15/- to 22/6, whiting 15/- to 45/-, gurnard 5/- to 7/6, herrings 15/- to 16/-, mackerel 15/- to 22/6.

GRIMSBY FISH.—Fair catches. Demand moderate. Plaice 10/6, lemon soles 10/-, halibut 11/- to 16/-, cod 4/- to 6/-, skate 7/6, small haddocks 2/3, kit, 4/6, gibbed 7/6, dabs 8/-, codlings 5/6 per stone; soles 2/6, turbot and brill 11d. per lb.

PRODUCE.

LONDON.—SUGAR—Spot refined parcels in moderate support, chiefly for British standard, at recent level of prices. Forward Continental gran. steady. Czecho gran. August sellers 17/- and Nov.-Dec. 16/1½ f.o.b. Hamburg. Dutch J quality August 16/3 and Nov.-Dec. 16/1½ f.o.b. Rotterdam; American gran. spot 29/3, July-Aug. London 16/3, and white Java July-August shipment 15/6 c.i.f. London. White terminal firmer, and a fair business transpired; August sold 15/4½ to 15/6½, Dec. 15/9½ to 15/10½, March 16/0½ to 16/1½, and May 16/3½ to 16/4½ per cwt. COFFEE—Spot parcels in quiet request, but rates steady for the better qualities, which are in limited supply. COCOA—Spot business quiet, but late rates were maintained; Accra for shipment FF grade Oct.-Dec. sellers 43/- f.o.b. terms. TEA—In auctions 5,235 packages Java and Sumatra were offered. All the finer grades experienced steady support, especially leaf kinds suitable for export, and late rates were maintained. Common kinds, however, continue in quiet request. Pekoe sold 9½d to 1/3½, broken ditto 1/6; to 1/7½, orange Pekoe 1/2 to 1/5½, broken ditto 1/0½ to 1/8½, and Pekoe Souchong 11d. to 1/1 per lb. in bond. RICE in quiet request at about late rates. Japanese Peas—Spot 25/9 and Sept.-Oct. 24/9 per cwt. Beans slow. SPICE—Pepper quiet and tendency easier; black Lampong Aug.-Oct. sold 8½d to 8d. and Muntok white ditto 1/1 to 1/1¼. Zanzibar Cloves—Oct.-Dec. sold 10½d. per lb. TAPIOCA and Sago Flour quiet, unaltered.

RUBBER opened quiet and easier, and after irregular movements ruled steadier. Plantation standard sheet spot sold 3/3½, 3/8 and 3/6, Aug. 3/6½, 3/8 and 3/7½. Sept. 3/6, 3/5½ and 3/6½, Oct.-Dec. 3/-, 2/11, 3/- and 2/11½, Jan.-March 2/6½, 2/6 and 2/6½ per lb. To New York, ribbed smoked sheet July sold 3/4, Oct.-Dec. 2/9, and Jan.-Dec. 2/2½ c.i.f. terms. Fine hard Para spot London sellers 4/3 per lb. OILS—Linseed quiet and tendency easier; spot quoted 41/6, Aug. 40/6, Sept.-Dec. 40/6, and Jan.-April 40/1½. Cotton firm; crude Egyptian spot 44/-, ditto Bombay 40/-, common edible 49/-. Rape quiet; crude spot 48/6, refined 51/6. Cocoanut steady; Ceylon spot pipes 48/6, Aug.-Sept 46/6. Soya Oil firm; Oriental barrels July-Aug. 44/3, bulk ditto 41/3. Turpentine inactive; American spot and Aug. 67/9, and Sept.-Dec. 68/9 per cwt. Petroleum steady; American standard white spot 1/- and water white 1/1 per gallon in barrels. OILSEEDS—Linseed quieter, and prices the turn easier, especially for La Plata descriptions, Calcutta to London Aug.-Sept. sellers £21 12/6, Sept.-Oct. £21 15/-. Plate to Hull Aug.-Sept. £19 12/6, Sept.-Oct. £19 15/-, and new crop Jan.-Feb. £18 17/6. Rapeseed dull; Toria to Continent Aug.-Sept. £21 15/-, sold Ferozepore ditto £21 12/6. Cottonseed steady. Egyptian black to Hull Aug. sellers £13 3/9, Nov.-Jan. £12 17/6 white Aug. £12 10/-, Nov.-Jan. £12 8/-, Bombay Aug.-Sept. £9 10/-, Sept.-Oct. £9 12/6. Castor quiet; Bombay Aug.-Sept. sellers £22 10/- per ton.

LIVERPOOL.—TALLOW steady for South American. Further sales reported at 47/3 per cwt., c.i.f. August-September.

CLYDE CRUSHED SUGAR.—Tone of market much better to-day and demand improved. Prices for American sugars rather dearer. Greenock sugars unchanged.

MISCELLANEOUS.

BRADFORD WOOL.—Business is still in very small compass owing to the strike, but prices remain firm owing to the strength of raw material. There is a certain turnover in tops and yarns for export, and merchants who can meet requirements are making firm prices. The small supplies of noils are fetching higher rates.

WOOL.—C. E. MACAULAY AND CO., 15 Haymarket, Dublin. Exporters, pay highest cash prices for all classes. Packs lent. —(Advt.)

MANCHESTER HAY AND STRAW.—Little change both hay and straw, and last week's prices again repeated. General quotations:—Lincolnshire rye grass and clover £6, Cheshire £5 5/- to £5 10/-, meadow hay £5 to £5 5/-, oat straw 70/- to 72/6, wheat straw 72/6 delivered Manchester, prime Canadian clover hay £5 10/- per ton at quay.

LONDON METALS MARKET.

FALL IN TIN.

The market for TIN reacted on lower Eastern cables and some pressure to sell, though movements were attended by slight irregularity, especially with regard to forward positions. On balance cash declined 22/6 to 25/- and forward 20/- to 22/6 per ton compared with Wednesday's close. Standard cash quoted £259 15/- to £260, three months £262 10/- to £262 15/-; settlement price £259 15/-. Sales amounted to 800 tons, comprising cash at £259 10/-, three months £262, £261, and £262 10/-; English ingots quoted £260 to £260 10/-. COPPER declined 5/- per ton, both cash and forward, with business on a smaller scale. Standard cash quoted £61 7/6 to £61 10/-, three months £62 7/6 to £62 10/-, settlement price £61 10/-. Sales totalled 800 tons; cash changed hands at £61 8/9, £61 7/6, and again at £61 8/9, three months £62 10/-; electro quoted £66 to £66 5/-, wire bars £66 5/-. LEAD firmer and a good business effected. Sales, 1,300 tons; good soft foreign July and at £35 to £35 10/-, August £35 8/9 to £35 7/6, September £35 2/6, October £35 to £35 2/6, settlement price £35 10/-. English quoted £37 5/-. SPELTER quietly steady. 400 tons sold; July at £35 3/9 to £35 5/-, October £35 2/6 to £34 17/6, settlement price £35 5/- per ton.

GLASGOW IRON AND STEEL.—Although most steelworks hope to start next week, this will depend upon the coal situation. A fair tonnage was secured during the holidays. 8 ironworkers have restarted. They have booked good orders for eight gauges for the East Coast. The demand has improved for galvanised corrugated. Babcock and Willcox and G. and J. Weir, Glasgow, have secured plant orders for the Cheshire power station, Runcorn.

DUBLIN WOOL SALES.

In spite of the textile workers' strike in England, trade was keen and animated for all classes of wools at Messrs. Ganly's auction yesterday. The catalogue, although not so large as usual, contained a good selection of choice wools. All grades were in good demand at prices fully a penny per pound over those obtained at their opening auction, and practically every lot was sold. The quotations are as follows:—

	Washed.	Greasy.
Downs	20d. to 21d.	15d. to 16d.
Shrop	19d. to 20d.	14d. to 15d.
Fine-Bred Wools	15½d. to 16½d.	12d. to 13d.
Deep-Bred Wools	13½d. to 14½d.	11d. to 12d.
Cheviot	15d. to 17d.	12d. to 13d.
Crossbred	12d. to 13d.	11d. to 11½d.
Blackface and Scotch	11½d. to 12½d.	10½d. to 11½d.

Messrs. Ganly's next auction will be held on Wednesday, 9th September.

AUSTRALIAN WOOL SALES.

At the wool sales held at Sydney yesterday 6,570 bales were offered, of which 6,085 were sold. Private sales consisted of 324 bales. There was a good selection, and the market closed at the best point of the week. Superfine lines were sold at the top levels of the week. The improvement in all fine and deep stapled showy sorts continued strongly. France and America were the chief supporters. There was improved Japanese demand, and Bradford bidding was moderate. Greasy merino realised 34½ pence.

IRISH FAIR.

LISTOWEL.—The fair was of average size, and a bit slow. Young cattle in good demand, and prices generally acceptable. Springers, first class from £20 to £26, second class from £12 to £15; two-year-old heifers and bullocks, first class from £14 to £18, second class from £9 to £12; yearlings, first class from £10 to £13, second class from £5 to £7 10/-; beef, second class 40/- live weight; calves from two to four months old, from £3 10/- to £5, younger from 30/- to 50/-; choice bacon pigs from one to one and a half to one three-quarters year old, 97/- per cwt., heavier 85/-, and over-weights 80/-; bonhams, from eleven to fourteen weeks old, £3 to £3 5/-, younger from 45/- to 50/-.

THE MUNSTER FAIR.

The Munster Horse Fair at Limerick yesterday was smaller than usual. Hunters and colts were in brisk demand, while troopers were bought up by foreign agents at good prices. Trade for draught horses was slow. Hunters realised from £150 to £250; colts, £70 to £95; troopers, £30 to £35.

STORE CATTLE SALE.

MESSRS. R. AND J. WILKINSON.

With a better selection of cattle and more support from across Channel, a decidedly stronger tone was imparted to trade, and practically everything changed hands at improved prices. For heifers in forward condition the demand was particularly keen. Best lots changing hands at:—£22 10/- (51/-), £21 15/- (50/6), £20 15/- (52/-), £20 (50/-), £20 (47/6). Hereford and Angus crosses realised £20 (50/-), £19 15/- (49/6), £18 10/- (46/6), £17 10/- (47/6), £16 (49/-), £15 10/- (49/-), with horned and polled bullocks selling at £21 10/- (47/-), £21 (45/-), £19 (53/-), £19 (41/-), £18 7/6 (45/6), £18 5/- (43/6), £18 (46/-), £16 (44/-), £15 15/- (44/-), £14 10/- (47/-).

DUBLIN SHIPPING REPORT.

Wind and Weather—Westerly wind, light breeze; fine.

Foreign Arrival—Ss. Stanley Force, of Whitehaven, 242 tons register (Captain Williams), from Antwerp, with general cargo; discharging at Shelter Sheds, North Wall Extension.

Coastwise Arrivals—Ss. Lady Longford, from Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Hound, from Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Olive, from Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Lady Cloe, from London, with passengers and goods; ss. Yarrow, from Silloth, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. Slieve Gallion, from Holyhead, with goods; ss. Cato, from Bristol, with goods; m.v. Gaelia, from Ballinacurra, with malt; ss. Velinheli, from Port Dinorwic, with slates; Mary Ann, from Courtown, with sand; ss. Snowdon, from Holyhead, light.

Foreign Departure—Ss. Ulva, of Glasgow, 840 tons register (Captain Blair), for Ardrossan, light.

Coastwise Departures—Ss. Lady Longford, for Liverpool, with passengers and goods; ss. Hound, for Glasgow, with passengers and goods; ss. Olive, for Heysham, with passengers and goods; ss. Yarrow, for Silloth, with passengers and goods; ss. Slieve Donard, ss. Slieve Gallion, for Holyhead, with goods; ss. Lady Kildare, for Manchester, with goods; ss. Lady Brussels, for Preston, with goods; ss. Lady Emerald, for London, with goods; ss. Clareisland, for Liverpool, with porter; ss. Snowdon, for Holyhead, with live stock; ss. British Tommy, for Swansea, light; ss. Glen Helen, for Garston, with timber; ss. Princetown, for Newport, light; ss. Admiral, for Birkenhead, light; ss. Cairngorm, for Garston, light; ss. Rosabelle, for Point of Aire, light; ss. Velinheli, for Port Dinorwic, light.

IRISH TECHNICAL INSTRUCTION ASSOCIATION.

The acceptances for the election for the Standing Council and officers of the above Association, which took place at the recent Technical Instruction Congress, have now been received, and the Standing Council, as completed, is as follows:—President—Mr. T. P. Gill, late Secretary of the Department of Agriculture and Technical Instruction for Ireland. Vice-President—Mr. T. L. Price, Chairman, Urban Technical Instruction Committee, Larne. County Councils—Messrs. Sean O'Kelly, Co. Mayo; Patrick McGrath, Co. Tipperary; Very Rev. Canon Cummins, D.D., P.P., V.F., Co. Roscommon; Mr. J. M. Buckley, Co Cork (officials). County Borough Councils—Alderman Professor B. F. Shields, M.A., Dublin; Messrs. W. Ellis, T.C., Cork; D. J. Coakley, Cork (officials). Urban District Councils—Mr. T. L. Price, Larne; Mrs. Kettle, Rathmines; Mr. G. J. T. Clampett, Rathmines (officials). Hon. Secretary—Mr. Thomas J. Hayes, Blackrock, Co. Dublin. Hon. Treasurer—Mr. E. J. Long, Dublin. It will be observed that the Association, according to its decision at previous Congresses, continued as an all-Ireland body, and has re-elected an Ulster representative as its Vice-President.

Twelve hundred young cadets from all over England crossed to Belgium yesterday for a tour of the battlefields.

COUNTY WEXFORD SHOW.

FINE DISPLAY OF SHEEP AND CATTLE.

INTEREST IN HOME INDUSTRIES.

FROM OUR SPECIAL CORRESPONDENT.

ENNISCORTHY, Thursday.

Two factors combined to make the second day of the Count, Wexford United Agricultural Society's Show at Enniscorthy an even greater success than the first in point of attendance. The first of these was the glorious weather; the day broke badly, and there were occasional showers in the morning, followed by brilliant sunshine in the afternoon. The second was the weekly half holiday in the town, which set many workers free to attend the show. The important work of the day was the judging of the cattle classes, as well as the swine, sheep, donkeys, butter and honey sections. As was pointed out yesterday, the entries in the cattle section were below those of last year, but the quality of the beasts exhibited was really good.

The total gate receipts for the two days amounted to £510.

Two interesting sections of the show were butter and honey. In the former there were 52 entries, an increase on last year's. Mrs. O'Brien, Adamstown, was a first prize winner in two of the three classes. The honey prizes were given by the County Wexford Beekeepers' Association for the best three sections of honey, the bona-fide product of the exhibitors' own bees. Mr. J. Furlong, Enniscorthy, won the first prize with 90 marks.

During the afternoon the No. 2 Army Band, under Sergeant-Major J. Flahive, which travelled specially by motor from Dublin, played a pleasing musical programme.

AGRICULTURAL HORSES.

For the best Agricultural Brood Mare—Mr. C. Bailey, Blackwater, won the first prize with a fine roan, stinted to Agar's Pride. F. Pierce, Coolnaborna, was second, and a third animal entered by the same owner was reserved. As there was only one entry for the best two-year-old gelding or filly for agricultural purposes, the prize was awarded to Wm. Leacy, Castle Ellis, for his grey mare.

PIGS.

The pigs shown were all of very good quality, but the entries were rather small. The results were:—

Pure-bred Boar, over 12 months old—1st, C. Coppen, Clonroche; 2nd, Lieut.-Colonel Bryan, Enniscorthy; 3rd, J. A. Rathwell, Ballycanew.

Pure-bred Boar, under 12 months—1st, Colonel C. M. Gibbon, Sleedagh, Wexford; 2nd, Lieut.-Colonel Bryan, Enniscorthy; 3rd, R. A. Rathwell, Ballycanew.

Best Sow in Pig—1st, T. Shannon, Newbawn; 2nd, J. J. Stephens, Ferns; 3rd, Lieut.-Colonel Bryan.

Pen of three Bacon Pigs, between 16 and 18 stone—First prize was won by Colonel C. M. Gibbon and the second by A. O'Brien, Killane.

DONKEYS.

There were six classes and sixteen entries in the donkey section, many useful little animals being exhibited. The following were the prize-winners:—

Best Cared-for Donkey, with Cart and Tackling—1st, Mrs. Ryan, Glenbrien; 2nd, W. Donnelly, Enniscorthy; 3rd, Mrs. Byrne, Ballinastraw.

For Non-prize Winners—1st, N. Cahill, Glenbrien; 2nd, J. Cullen, Glenbrien.

For best Donkey shown over 8 years old (Lady Banbury prizes)—1st, P. Devereux, Kilcotty; 2nd, P. Storey, Oylegate; 3rd, J. Daly, Enniscorthy.

For Small Donkeys (Lady Corby prizes)—1st, N. Cahill, Glenbrien; 2nd, P. Flood, Ballymurrin; 3rd, J. Donoghue, Kilpierce.

Lady Cory Consolation Prizes for Small Donkeys—1st James Keyes, Enniscorthy; 2nd, W. Flood, Ballymurrin.

For Non-prize Winners, 3 to 8 years old—1st, M. Whelan, Ballymurrin; 2nd, J. Redmond, Ballymurrin.

SHEEP.

There was fifteen sheep sections, in all of which the exhibits were good, useful sheep. The Border-Leicesters were a nice typical lot, but the Suffolks beat them for the champion prize. The Lincolns were also very good. "As far as the sheep are concerned," said the Rev. R. J. M'Ilmoyle, one of the judges, who is a wellknown North of Ireland sheep breeder, "there is nothing to be ashamed of, but very much to commend."

Aged Pure-bred Ram—1st, W. Quincey, Glenbrien; 2nd, W. Kinsella, Castlebridge.

One-Shear Pure-bred Border-Leicester—1st, R. A. Latta, Ballinakill; 2nd and 3rd, J. W. Tompkins, Gorey.

One-Shear Pure-bred Lincoln—1st and 2nd prizes, P. O'Brien, Oylegate.

Pen of two Ewes that have reared lambs this season—1st, R. A. Latta; 2nd, W. Kinsella; 3rd, J. Poole, Ferns.

Pen of two Ewes (Hoggets), Border-Leicester—1st, R. A. Latta; 2nd, George Milne, Ferns.

Pen of two Ewes (Hoggets), Lincolns—1st, J. O'Connor, Oylegate; 2nd, W. Leacy, Castle Ellis.

Pen of two Short-Woolled Ewes, Hoggets—1st and 2nd, J. Poole, Ferns; 3rd, G. Milne.

Pen of two Pure-bred Border-Leicester Ram Lambs—1st, J. W. Tompkins; 2nd, R. A. Latta; 3rd, E. Leacy, Oulart.

Pen of two Lincoln Ram Lambs—1st, W. Kinsella; 2nd and 3rd, P. O'Brien.

Pen of Short-Woolled Ram Lambs, Pure-bred—1st and 2nd, J. Poole; 3rd, Miss K. A. Browne.

Pen of two Ewe Lambs, Lincolns—1st, W. Kinsella, 2nd, T. Carty, Crossabeg; 3rd, W. Leacy.

Pen of two Ewe Lambs, Border-Leicester—1st, R. A. Latta; 2nd, J. W. Tomkins; 3rd, E. Leacy.

Pen of two Short-Woolled Ewe Lambs—1st and 2nd, J. Poole; 3rd, Miss K. A. Browne.

Two prizes presented by Messrs. S. and A. G. Davis for the best pure-bred group of sheep, consisting of 1 ewe, 1 shearling ewe, 1 ewe lamb, 1 ram lamb, and 1 ram, were won by J. Poole (first) and R. A. Latta (second).

CATTLE.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull, calved before 1st January, 1924—1st, W. Leacy, Castle Ellis—The Ballagh, a Newbliss Augustus Stamp, d. Lady Marvel; 2nd, representatives of Thomas Carty, Crossabeg—Clontibbert Alchemist; 3rd, M. Dempsey, Oulart—Red.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull, calved after 1st January, 1924—1st, J. J. Stephens, Tomsallagh—Roan, Prince Edward; 2nd, P. Kehoe, Coolnaboy—Roan; 3rd, J. Hall, Boolavogue—Dark roan.

Best Bull of any other pure breed—1st, E. O'Connor, Enniscorthy—Black, pure-bred Aberdeen-Angus; 2nd, J. Doyle, Ferns.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Cow, in milk or calf—1st, R. A. Latta, Ferns—Roan, Laughing Splendour; 2nd, S. O'Connor, Enniscorthy; 3rd, M. Dempsey, Oulart—Roan, Princess Theodora.

Best Cow, other than pure-bred, in calf or milk—1st, T. Donnelly, Clondaw; 2nd, J. Behan, Enniscorthy.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Heifer, calved in 1923—1st, R. A. Latta, Ballinakill—Dark roan; 2nd, do.; 3rd, T. O'Neill, Tomduff, Enniscorthy.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Heifer, calved in 1924—1st, R. A. Latta; 2nd, representatives of T. Carty; 3rd, R. A. Latta.

Best Heifer, other than pure-bred, calved in 1924—1st, P. Kehoe, Coolnaboy; 2nd, representatives of T. Carty, Ballyshane.

Best Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull Calf, calved on or after 1st January and before 1st March, 1925—1st, T. B. Cockburn; 2nd, M. Dempsey.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Bull Calf, calved on or after 1st March, 1925—1st and 2nd, R. A. Latta.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Heifer Calf, calved on or after 1st January, 1925, and before 1st March, 1925—1st, R. A. Latta; 2nd, H. Deacon, Clonroche.

Pure-bred Shorthorn Heifer Calf, calved on or after 1st March, 1925—1st George Milne, Ferns; 2nd, R. A. Latta.

Best Heifer Calf, other than pure-bred, calved on or after 1st January, 1925—1st, representatives of T. Carty.

The Special Prize, Challenge Cup presented by the late Lord Fitzgerald, for the best pedigree bull, cow, or heifer, between one and four years old, was won by W Leacy with his red shorthorn bull, The Ballagh.

HOME INDUSTRIES.

It would be impossible to praise too highly the excellent work that is being done by the County Wexford United Irishwomen, who have an industrial exhibition at the Show. The development of local industries and the brightening of the countryside are two of the laudable objects of the Society, and there is no doubt about their success. The exhibition included demonstrations of basket-making, spinning and hand-loom weaving, embroidery, etc. A particularly interesting exhibit was that of pottery made at Carley's Bridge Pottery—really beautiful examples of what can be done locally. The clay in the County Wexford, particularly in the vicinity of Enniscorthy, is just the kind required to make good delph-ware; but, unfortunately, the makers have not the appliances or the skill necessary to carry out the glazing process. It is hoped that this difficulty will be surmounted by the installation of the necessary appliances and the tuition of an expert in glazing. The examples shown had to be sent to England for a second firing and glazing.

Another interesting feature of the Show was the exhibit of handiwork made by the patients of the County Home.

JUMPING COMPETITIONS.

Silver Cup, presented by Mrs. J. M. Magee, Wyndham terrace, Bray—1st, Mrs. J. M. Magee's Nugget; 2nd, Mr S. Swaine's Kithogue; 3rd, Mr J. Mernagh's Glenbrien.

For horses that have never won a first prize—1st, Mr. R. Walsh's Diver; 2nd, Mr. M. Kinsella's Rodeo; 3rd, Mr. P. White's Rodeo.

Driving Competition—For ponies up to 12 hands—1st, Mrs. Walsh's Jill (Mr. M. Murphy, Gorey).

THE ROYAL BARGE.

The King's State barge, which has been lent to the Victoria and Albert Museum, was last used in the Naval Pageant on the Thames, when the King and Queen were rowed in it from the Tower to Chelsea. It is a very interesting survival of the days when the Thames was the highway of London for passenger traffic, with the houses of the nobles situated on the riverside and every important personage possessing his State barge for use on great occasions. In those days there were three times as many boats plying for hire as there were hackney carriages in the streets. Now the river is absolutely deserted for passenger purposes, as far as London is concerned, and it has not even a penny steamboat.

Mr. R. D. Davies, of Whitton School, Knighton, Radnorshire, who was ninety years old on Tuesday, is believed to be the oldest working schoolmaster in the kingdom.

CLONMEL SHOW.

BIG MUSTER OF HORSES AND CATTLE.

SOME FINE WINNERS.

(BY OUR AGRICULTURAL CORRESPONDENT.)

For their thirty-fourth annual show to-day the Clonmel Show and Agricultural Society, Limited, had largely increased entries. The increase was distributed over the horses and cattle, the figures being as follow:—Horses 338, against 305 last year; cattle 105, against 88; sheep, pigs and goats 46, against 51; poultry 123, against 150. Cattle will not be judged until to-morrow. Sheep, pigs and goats, too, will come before the judges to-morrow, when there will also be a fine display of foxhounds from no fewer than eight packs.

In point of quality the horses to-day were not generally considered quite equal to those of last year. The winners, however, were exceedingly good, and the jumping reached a high level of merit. Except for some showers in the morning the weather was good, and there was a satisfactory attendance. Quite a number of horses were sold during the day, but some of the best hunters in Munster have already been snapped up by Americans.

THE JUDGES.

The judges were:—Horses—Major Peacock, Loughborough; Mr. A. Hunt, Kilmacthomas; Col. Alexander, Oakham; Mr. G. S. Webb, M.F.H., Shinrone. Foxhounds—Sir Charles Wiggin, Bart., Shipston-on-Stow; Major Barclay, M.F.H., Buntingford, Herts. Cattle, Sheep, Pigs—Captain Clarke, Farran; Mr. T. O'Sullivan, Crookstown, Co. Cork. Poultry—Miss MacQuillan, Coolock, Co. Dublin.

HORSE CLASSES.

Out of four entries in the class for thoroughbred stallions, first prize and the Allan Baker Cup went to Patrick Lynch for Sea Flier, a massive chestnut of great scale and substance, by The Gull by Gallinule. Solomon's Orb, a deep, good-bodied bay, by Orby, followed up his Dungarvan success by coming next. He was shown by William Burke, Allmore. Edmond Cummins was third with Mighty Power, an eight-year-old chestnut of fine muscular type, by Radium by Ben d'Or.



Mr. Rogers's Shanahan's Smoke.

For weight-carrying hunters an entry of 25 was headed by the noted hunter and prize-winning gelding Smoke. This is a well knit, good barrelled chestnut that did well at Dublin last year, and carries himself gaily in the hands of Mr. Roger Shanahan, Kilmacthomas. John M'Enery, Kilmoganny, followed with a fine, raking hunter, showing capital legs and feet. The Rev. W. J. Condon was third with a good-mannered bay by Evening Star. Mr J. Murphy's bay mare was highly commended, and Major-General Kellett commended.

There were 22 entries in the class for made hunters up to 13st to 14st., and an outstanding exhibit was Miss Ethel Corby's well-knit, stylish chestnut gelding Killeens. He shows great style in all his paces and attracted general admiration. Second place was filled by E. Renehan's Cabra, a six-year-old bay gelding, with capital legs and feet. Roger Shanahan was third with Tea for Two, a five-year-old brown gelding, with plenty of style and substance. N. F. Maher was highly commended with The Rock, and P. Arnold commended for Arbitration.

In a class of 19 entries for hunters up to 12st. to 13st., Joseph Murphy was first with a chestnut gelding of fine hunter type. William Kiely's Ross, a good barrelled grey, was second, and Lieutenant-Colonel Heather's well-balanced chestnut gelding third. Denis Fahy's brown gelding Barney was highly commended, and John M'Carthy's Hard Nail commended.

Thirteen entries made up the class for four-year-old weight-carriers, and premier honour went to Mrs. M. J. Shee for Kilmaloo, a dashing chestnut gelding by Perfection II., dam by Connaught Ranger. Walter Dwyer, jun., Glanmire, was second with a useful bay gelding of great substance. J. R. Mulcahy followed with Cora, a chestnut mare of fine type and character by Marlhill. The Rev. R. C. Dunworth's Nimrod was highly commended, and Major Shine's Parry commended.

Four-year-olds up to 13st. 7lb. made a muster of 21, and premier honour went to John Quinlan's big-framed, good-boned dark brown mare, Lady Roland, and reserve for the Kellet Cup. Roger Shanahan's brown, Templemore, was second; M. A. Walsh's chestnut, Bellaby Discovery, third; Miss E. M. Clibborn's Despard highly commended, and Major-General Kellett's Cloonacody commended.

The Kellet Cup for four-year-olds was awarded to Mrs. M. J. Shee, Glanmire, for the chestnut, Kilmaloo, John Quinlan's Lady Roland being reserved.

R. Shanahan's Smoke subsequently added to his laurels by securing the Sewell Champion Cup for hunters for the second year in succession; reserve to Miss Corby's fine chestnut, Killeens.

Ponies not over 15 hands, suitable for polo, were headed by P. Baldwin's chestnut mare, Heatherland; Philip Carroll's Mylerstown Lad was second, and Miss M. Mulcahy's bay gelding, The Cub, third; M. Connor's Glass Horse was highly commended, and T. Purcell's brown commended.

Harness classes, for ponies 13 hands and under, were headed by M. Darcy's fine bay stallion, Rocklow Bonfire, by Fusci; M. Oregan's stylish bay five-year-old chestnut, King's Own, was second, and Miss H. Malcolmson's bay mare, Sparkiette, third. R. Grace's Watch was highly commended, and P. Walsh's chestnut gelding commended.



Mr. P. Lynch's Thoroughbred Stallion, Sea Flier.

For best turn-out, horses over 14 hands, M. Morgan's nice stepping bay, Danny Boy, was first, and P. F. Whittle's Aubrey Adelia reserve.

For ponies over 13 and not exceeding 14 hands—M. Darcy's Rocklow Thyme was first, and M. O'Regan's King's Own reserve.

JUMPING COMPETITIONS.

(A) For Denny Challenge Cup—J. P. Hanley's Hoofey, first; J. Walshe's Patent Safety, second; Miss R. B. Springfield's Croghan, third.

Competition B—Miss Springfield's Croghan, first; J. Walshe's Patent Safety, second; J. Murphy's Girl Shy, third.

POULTRY CLASSES.

Poultry made a good average, and, with the excellent penning arrangements, the work of adjudication was conducted with expedition and efficiency. There was a particularly good turn-out in the any other variety class, cock or hen, while there was also a fine muster of Indian runner ducks. Mr. Barriskill, Portadown; Mr. Twamley, Ballytore; Lady E. O'Shee, Kilkenny; Rev. J. Trotter, Carlow; Mr. P. Grant, Tipperary; Miss Tobin, Clonmel, were amongst the first prize-winners. For Orpingtons, P. Grant was first, D. Borriskill second, and P. Leahy third. Wyandottes—P. Grant first, D. Barriskill second, and Lady O'Shee third. Leghorns—D. Borriskill first and second, Miss Longbottom third. Sussex, any variety—Mrs. M. E. Bourke first, Miss Malcolmson second, Mr. W. Twamley third. Rhode Island Red—Mr. Twamley first, Mrs. K. Sheehy second, Miss M. A. Hickey third. Any variety cock or hen—Rev. J. Trotter first and third, with Indian runners; D. Barriskill second, with Minorcas.

American bronze turkeys—Miss Anglim first, Miss M. A. Hickey 2nd, and Miss B. Delaney third. For Embden geese, Miss E. Tobin was first and second; while for Indian runners Mr. Twamley led, Miss N. ffrench being second and third. For Aylesburys, Miss Tobin was first, Mrs. K. Sheehy second, and Miss M. Slattery third.

For breeding pens, any variety, utility birds, Lady E. O'Shee was first, Miss M. Slattery second, and Mrs. M. F. Bourke third. In the class for pair of chickens, P. Grant was first, Mrs. Bourke second, and Mrs. K. Sheehy third.

Cottier classes—For cocks or hens, any pure breed—P. Grant was first and second, with Orpingtons; P. Leahy being third. For ducks of any pure breed, Miss M. O'Donnell was first, with an Indian Runner; Mrs. B. Walsh second, and P. Leahy third.

For table birds, Miss Anglim was first and Miss E. Tobin second.

Eggs made a good display. For white hen eggs, Miss Longbottom was first and Miss M. Carey second. Brown or tinted hen eggs—Mrs. Bourke first, Miss Tobin second, and Mrs. J. Keane third. Duck eggs—Miss Tobin first.

INDO-CHINA.

PARIS, Wednesday.

It is stated on good authority that the Government has appointed M. Varenne Deputy for Puy de Dome, and Vice-President of the Chamber, to succeed M. Merlin as Governor-General of Indo-China.—(Reuter)

CRICKET.

MORE FINE BOWLING.

A. W. CARR'S CENTURY.

A plucky last wicket stand by Dennett and Parker saved Gloucester from having to follow on at Gloucestershire yesterday. The last pair added 54 in forty minutes. They batted well, and showed real confidence, though each had an escape. Surrey, left with the valuable lead of 122, proceeded to make another 132 for four wickets, so they lead by 254 with six wickets in hand. This time Hobbs never settled down, and though he stayed seventy-five minutes he had to be content with 38.

After some interesting fluctuations at Trent Bridge, Notts made such a good recovery that at the close they were 284 ahead, with two wickets to fall. A. W. Carr played a brilliant innings of 103.

The cricket at Northampton fluctuated considerably, but Lancashire, with a lead of 271 and two wickets standing, finished in a strong position against Northamptonshire. Of Lancashire's batsmen, only Hallows (98) showed scoring powers.

At Bournemouth showers caused four short stoppages, and while the pitch remained easy-paced, Sussex made such capital progress that at the end of the day they had gained a useful position, Hampshire being 93 behind with only three wickets standing.

Both Lee and C. R. Jackson completed their thousand runs for the season during the course of yesterday's cricket at Derby, and they are the first batsmen to accomplish this feat for Derby since 1913. Derby, with seven wickets in hand, are 173 behind.

The best individual performances were:—

BATTING.

Hallows (Northants v. Lancs)	98
A. W. Carr (Notts v. Kent)	103

BOWLING.

Kennedy (Sussex v. Hants)	5	for	64
Boyes (Sussex v. Hants)	4	"	36
Sebbles (Northants v. Lancs)	4	"	24
Parkin (Northants v. Lancs.)	4	"	38
Bridges (Somerset v. Glamorgan)	6	"	37
White (Somerset v. Glamorgan)	4	"	16
Ryan (Somerset v. Glamorgan)	5	"	35
Clay (Somerset v. Glamorgan)	4	"	14

GLOUCESTER V. SURREY.

At Gloucester. Score:—

SURREY.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Hobbs b Melsome	53	c Dennett b Parker	38
Sandham c Hammond b Parker	85	c Smith b Mills	39
Ducat st Smith b Parker	65	b Mills	38
Shepherd c Dennett b Parker	34	c and b Mills	5
D. R. Jardine b Parker	40	not out	9
P. G. Fender c Dennett b Parker	0		
Peach b Parker	10		
M. Howell b Parker	2		
Strudwick l.b.w. b Parker	1		
Geary st Smith b Parker	6		
Fenley not out	8		
Extras	17	Extras	3
Total	320	Total (4 wkts.)	132

GLOUCESTERSHIRE—First Innings.

Lt.-Col. Robinson c Ducat b Geary	9	Capt. M. A. Green l.b.w. b Fenley	1
Dipper l.b.w. b Peach	8	R. G. Melsome b Fender	7
Smith b Fender	22	Dennett l.b.w. b Geary	25
Mills b Geary	5	Parker not out	24
Sinfield c Ducat b Fenley	12	Extras	17
Hammond b Fender	33		
Bloodworth c Ducat b Peach	25	Total	198

Bowling.—Surrey, First Innings—Parker, 9 for 118; Dennett, 0 for 53; Mills, 0 for 43; Sinfield 0 for 14; Melsome, 1 for 53; Hammond, 0 for 22.

Bowling.—Gloucestershire, First Innings—Peach, 2 for 27; Geary, 3 for 30; Fender, 3 for 70; Fenley, 2 for 60.

HAMPSHIRE V. SUSSEX.

At Bournemouth. Score:—

SUSSEX—First Innings.

Bowley run out	19	Isherwood b Kennedy	3
Tate b Kennedy	36	Parks c Livsey b Boyes	0
Cook b Kennedy	48	Wensley not out	9
Holdsworth b Boyes	31	Cornford c Livsey b Kennedy	0
Watson st Livsey b Boyes	29	Extras	8
Cox c Kennedy b Boyes	3		
Gilligan b Kennedy	0	Total	186

HAMPSHIRE—First Innings.

Brown c Holdsworth b Wensley	0	Tennyson c Cornford b Tate	5
Newman c Cornford b Tate	17	Day not out	12
Aird st Cornford b Bowley	19	Kennedy c Cornford b Wensley	5
Mead l.b.w. b Wensley	25	Brutton not out	2
Bowell b Bowley	2	Extras	6
		Total (7 wkts.)	93

Bowling.—Sussex, First Innings—Kennedy, 5 for 64; Brown, 0 for 29; Newman, 0 for 49; Boyes, 4 for 36.

SOMERSET V. GLAMORGAN.

At Bath. Score:—

SOMERSET.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
J. C. W. MacBryan b Mercer	5	b Ryan	32
Young b Spencer	34	c Sullivan b Arnott	2
T. E. Francis b Clay	16	st Sullivan b Ryan	5
M. D. Lyon b Clay	4	l.b.w. b Clay	5
P. R. Johnson b Clay	7	l.b.w. b Clay	4
J. C. White b Mercer	43	b Ryan	12
G. F. Earle c Pinch b Clay	4	c Abel b Ryan	1
Hunt b Clay	7	b Clay	7
J. J. Bridges c Mercer b Clay	0	c Bates b Clay	8
E. P. Collings b Spencer	14	b Ryan	0
Luckes not out	24	not out	0
Extras	7	Extras	6
Total	165	Total	82

GLAMORGAN.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
C. F. Walters c Johnson b Bridges	33	not out	6
Abel b Bridges	2	not out	12
Bates c White b Bridges	10		
F. B. Pinch c Johnson b Bridges	29		
T. Arnott c and b White	0		
D. Davies c Earle b Bridges	0		
Spence c and b White	0		
J. C. Clay c Luckes b Bridges	10		
Mercer c Lyon b White	4		
Ryan c and b White	3		
Sullivan not out	1		
Extras	7		
Total	99	Total (no wkt.)	18

Bowling.—Glamorgan, First Innings—Bridges, 6 for 37; Collings, 0 for 16; White, 4 for 16; Hunt, 0 for 7; Young, 0 for 16.

Somerset.—Second Innings—Arnott, 1 for 12; Mercer, 0 for 18, Ryan, 5 for 35; Clay, 4 for 14.

NOTTS V. KENT.

At Nottingham. Score:—

NOTTS.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
G. Gunn c Wright b Collins	2	c Woolley b Marriott	32
Whysall b Wright	4	run out	4
Walker c Woolley b Freeman	45	c Hubble b Freeman	21
A. W. Carr c Hubble b Collins	0	c Johnstone b Collins	103
Payton l.b.w. b Freeman	27	not out	52
Lilley c Hubble b Wright	3	b Collins	44
Flint l.b.w. b Freeman	1	l.b.w. b Freeman	10
Staples b Wright	16	c Bryan b Woolley	19
Larwood not out	21	c Wright b Collins	18
Barratt c Johnstone b Freeman	15	not out	17
Richmond c Woolley b Freeman	8		
Extras	10	Extras	15
Total	154	Total (8 wkts.)	335

KENT—First Innings.

C. P. Johnstone b Barratt	5	Hubble st Lilley b Staples	0
Hardinge b Staples	24	Wright c Whysall b Staples	12
Ashdown c Gunn b Barratt	8	Freeman c Walker b Staples	5
Woolley b Barratt	16	C. S. Marriott not out	3
J. L. Bryan c Lilley b Barratt	9	Extras	8
C. H. Knott c Lilley b Flint	47	Total	205
Collins c Flint b Staples	67		

Bowling.—Notts, First Innings—Wright, 3 for 29; Collins, 2 for 18; Freeman, 5 for 65; Marriott, 0 for 13; Woolley, 0 for 19.

Kent.—First Innings—Barratt, 4 for 56; Larwood, 0 for 28; Staples, 5 for 56; Richmond, 0 for 29; Flint, 1 for 28.

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE V. LANCASHIRE.

At Northampton. Score:—

LANCASHIRE.

First Innings.		Second Innings.	
Makepeace c Woolley b Jupp	12	run out	4
Hallows l.b.w. b Thomas	22	b Clark	98
Hopwood c Fitzroy b Jupp	0	l.b.w. b P. Wright	11
Watson c R Wright b Thomas	24	c Atkinson b Thomas	5
J. R. Barnes c R. Wright b Jupp	0	b Atkinson	38
Iddon c Bagnall b P. Wright	48	b Clark	4
Sibbles b P. Wright	12	c Atkinson b Clark	0
Tyldesley b P. Wright	21	b P. Wright	18
Duckworth not out	72	not out	7
Parkin st Bellamy b Jupp	11		
Webster c R Wright b Clark	10		
Extras	20	Extras	13
Total	202	Total (8 wkts.)	203

NORTHAMPTONSHIRE—First Innings.

Woolley l.b.w. b Parkin	1	Atkinson b Parkin	4
W. W. Timms c and b Sibbles	8	Thomas c Duckworth b Sibbles	21
R. L. Wright b Parkin	8	Fitzroy b Sibbles	1
H. F. Bagnall b Tyldesley	2	P. Wright b Sibbles	5
V. W. Jupp not out	60	Clark l.b.w. b Tyldesley	14
Bellamy c Duckworth b Parkin	0	Extras	9
		Total	133

Bowling.—Lancashire, First Innings—Clark, 1 [illegible]

for 37; E. A. Wright, 3 for 53; Jupp, 4 for 73; Thomas, 2 for 20.

Northamptonshire.—First Innings—Parkin, 4 for 38; Webster, 0 for 26; Tyldesley, 2 for 36; Sibbles, 4 for 24.

DERBYSHIRE V. ESSEX.

At Derby. Score:—

ESSEX—First Innings.

Freeman b Morton	1	L. C. Eastman c and b Loney	6
Cutmore c A. H. Jackson b Lee	56	H. M. Morris b Loney	54
O'Connor c Loney b A. H. Jackson	19	F. W. Gilligan c Cadman b Lee	5
Russell l.b.w. b Hutchinson	55	Hipkin not out	1
P. Perrin c Hutchinson b Lee	68	Nichols b Lee	1
C. T. Ashton c Elliott b Loney	4	Extras	12
		Total	302

DERBYSHIRE—First Innings.

Lee not out	60	Cadman not out	4
Bowden b Russell	29	Extras	10
Townsend l.b.w. b Eastman	9	Total (3 wkts.)	149
G. R. Jackson c Eastman b Hipkin	37		

Derbyshire—Lee, Bowden, Townsend, G. R. Jackson, Morton, Hutchinson, Cadman, Horsley, E. F. Loney, Elliott, and A. H. Jackson.

Bowling.—Essex, First Innings—Cadman, 0 for 14; Morton, 1 for 59; Loney, 3 for 49; Horsley, 0 for 35; Lee, 4 for 62; A. H. Jackson, 1 for 34; Townsend, 0 for 21; Hutchinson, 1 for 16.

TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

Leinster v. Ulster (Junior Inter-Provincial). Sydney Parade. 2.15.

The teams selected are as follow:—

Leinster.—A. E. Bex (capt.), H. P. Nicholson (Leinster), D. Head, P. Byrne (Sandymount), R. H. Short, D. Moran, C. Little (Merrion), W. R. Barnett (Pembroke), C. Boucher (Y.M.C.A.), W. Smith (Pembroke Wanderers), E. V. Cox (Clontarf).

Ulster.—G. S. Goodall (capt.) (Bangor), N. Burke (North Down 2nd), James Cupples (Ulidia), S. Edgar (C.P.A.), R. H. Harrison (Woodvale), S. Martin (Woodvale), W. McCleery (9th Old Boys), B. Skelton (Bangor), G. Spence (North Down 2nd), F. Strain (Donacloney), N. W. Calvin (North Down 2nd).

The match will be continued on Saturday, when a start will be made at 11 a.m.

LEINSTER v. PHŒNIX.

Considerable interest is being centred in the match between Leinster and Phœnix, which, starting to-morrow at Rathmines, will be continued on Monday. The Park Club are turning out at full strength, while Leinster will also field a strong XI. In addition to the cricket, the tennis club will hold their "at home," and from 3 o'clock the Civic Guards' Band will be in attendance.

MERRION CLUB.—For the present communications should be addressed to the acting Hon. Secretary, E. W. Morris, 2 Woodville, Sandford road, Clonskeagh.

MOTOR CYCLING.

BANK HOLIDAY TRIAL.

The annual open two days' reliability trial of the Dublin and District Club will start to-morrow morning at 6 o'clock from Inchicore. The first day's run is to Glengariffe, and the route to be followed is via Cashel, Lismore, Cork, Macroom, Inchigeela, through the Pass of Keimaneigh, the total distance to Glengariffe being 226 miles. The competitors will spend Sunday in Glengariffe, and will be free to use their machines on that day. On Monday a return will be made to Dublin, via Kenmare, Killarney, Limerick, Nenagh, Roscrea, Mountrath, and Maryborough, the trial finishing at Inchicore Bridge with a total mileage for the day of 222 miles. The trial is open to four-wheeled vehicles as well as motor cycles, and a cup is offered for the best performance of a car not exceeding 1,500 c.c. There are three team prizes in addition.

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

LAW NOTICES—Friday, July 31, 1925.

CUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS UACHTARACH (the Supreme Court of Justice).—At 11 o'clock. For Judgment—Estate of M. J. Hamilton; Mulligan v. Corr; Free v. Walsh and others. For Hearing. Ex parte Appeal—Clarke v. John Jameson and Son, Ltd.

AN PRIMH-BHREITHEAMH (Chief Justice).—Before the Chief Justice in the Supreme Court at the sitting of the Court of Appeal. Petitions for Appointment of Commissioners for Oaths—Bernard Mulligan, at Aughnacliffe; Patrick H. O'Driscoll, at Bandon; Hugh B. O'Donoghue, at Virginia. In Lunacy. Motion—15th Sec. T. O'B. Kelly. Petitions—52nd Sec. W. J. Irwin; do. Wilson and Simms. At Chambers—Phelan, minors. In Lunacy. Before the Registrar at 11.30—Settle report, Maxwell, Weldon and Co.; statement, Cathcart and Hemphill; summons, J. E. M'Dermott. Before the Examiner at 11.30—Vouch account, Ward Hamill and Teevan; do., Lardner; do., F. Sutton and Co.; do., G. Barron.

AN ARD CHUIRT BHREITHEAMHNAIS (the High Court of Justice).—In Court 1 at 11 o'clock. At Chambers—Jellett v. M'Gleshan. In Court. Action—Martin v. Crosbie (to be mentioned). At Chambers. For Judgment—Leen v. President of Executive Council. In Court. Petition—Companies Acts and in the matter of a Limited Company. Motions—Mullins v. Hynes; Neville v. Watters. At Chambers—Regan v. Good; Solicitors Act and in the matter of a Solicitor; Companies Acts and in the matter of a Limited Company. Actions—Cronyn v. Huggard; Plunkett v. Kennedy (and motion).

In Court 3 at 11 o'clock. Bail Motions—The Attorney-General v. Dunleavy; same v. M'Kenna and another.

In Court 2 (at conclusion of Bail Motions). Circuit Appeals—M'Tigue v. Purcell; O'Neill v. Cloonan; Ross v. Hans; Dillon v. Devaney; O'Ferrall v. Murray; Murray v. Fitzmaurice; M'Laughlin v. M'Dermott, Turbett v. Ryan; Fagan v. Gillooly; "Clarke v. Roscommon County Council; O'Neill v. same; "Glover v. same; Campbell v. Hogan; Hennigan v. Lynch; L.L. Commission v. Casey; Reynolds v. Longford County Council; Doherty v. Meehan; Reilly v. Curran; Daly v. Daly; Kenny v. Westmeath County Council; Weir v. Westmeath County Council; M'Donnell and others v. Brennan; same v. Drum; same v. Monaghan; same v. Herkless; same v. Roper; same v. Taylor; Flynn v. Gormley; Nash v. Fitzpatrick; "Bellew v. M'Lean; O'Brien v. Conlon; Waller-Sawyer v. Minister of Finance; same and another v. same; Guinan v. Carroll; Hoey v. Greene; Kenny v. Longford County Board of Health; Dowler v. Longford County Council; Murray and Tuite, Tuite v. Murray; Galligan v. Loughlin; Hesner v. Nugent; Grady v. Grady; I.L. Commission v. Archwell; Leah v. Naughton; Plover v. Giblin; O'Donnell v. Connor; Kelly v. Cregg; Hogg and another v. Gill; Gill v. Hogg; Watson v. Coen; "Carty v. O'Ferrall; O'Ferrall v. Naughton; Dea v. Hanmore. "Dail Eireann Courts (Winding Up) Act, 1925.—At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle. In Court No. 1 at 12 o'clock. At Hearing—Doherty and others v. Healy.

PROBATE AND MATRIMONIAL.—In Court No. 5 (at conclusion of the Bail Motions). Probate. Exparte—In the goods of George M'Phail, decd.; do. John W. Maffett, do.; do. Isabel Simpson, do.; do. John Cullinane, do.; do. Edward Cassidy, do.; c. Maria M'Keon, do.; do. Julia Coghlan, do.; Ruddy v. Deery and another. Matrimonial. On Notice—Hall v. Hall.

In Court 3 (at conclusion of the Probate list).—Exparte Motions. Attendance Orders—Malone v. Kennedy; National Land Bank v. Sheridan. Garnishee—Farrelly v. Duff; Slattery v. Jones. Summonses—Malone v. Kennedy; National Land Bank v. Sheridan; Magee Irish Motor and Engineering Co. v. M'Donnell; Dunne v. Duignan.

IN COURT 4.—At Chambers, at 11 o'clock. To be Mentioned—Lighton v. Attorney-General; Dillon v. Dillon. For Hearing—Ruane, decd., Carroll v. Ruane. Studdert v. Mescal.

BANKRUPTCY.—In Court No. 4, at 11 o'clock—Arrangements—W. V. Seddall; J. F. Tyndall and Co.; A. Cox and Co.; Scallan and Co.; W. V. Seddall; Fullerton and Doyle; Molloy, Fayle and Co.; Horan and Devine; J. Moran; G. Tench; P. M. Seales; do.; do.; J. O'Connor and Co.; Crowley, Bolger and Co.; Collins and Son; Scallan and Co.; Rice, first public sitting, D. and T. Fitzgerald; Power, do.; Horan and Devine; Murray, do.; Wm. Smyth and Son; Kennedy, first meeting comp., Hayes and Son; Russell, first do., J. J. Garnor; Fahy, first public sitting, Findlater and Co., McShea, second meeting comp., Collins and Son; Collins, final exam., J. J. McDonald; Tuohy, do., A. Cox and Co., do. exam. witnesses; do.; Hanratty, final exam., M. Henry, show cause against adjudication, Collins and Son, do., do., Pitman, motion, do.; Flood, do., Orpen and Sweeny; Ryan, do., Lynch and Deering; O'Halloran, do., P. M. Seales; Smith, do., W. J. Fagan and Co.; McAllister, do., Horan and Devine; McGrath, do., J. J. Ryan; Galbraith, do., J. Wray; Donnelly, do., A. Cox and Co.; Finneran, confirm sale, J. Fagan; Gorham, do., Collins and Son; Tuohy, exam. witnesses, J. E. Cresswell; arrangt., ac. comp., J. Moran; do., do., Collins and Son; arrangt., ac. comp., W. V. Seddall; do., do., Collins and Son; do., do., P. M. Seales; do., do., A. Cox and Co.; do., do., Collins and Son; do., do., Collins and Son; Ryan, audit and divd., Findlater and Co.; Byrne, do., Hunter and Burland; Roche, do., J. J. McDonald; Murphy, do., Jas. Fagan; arrangt., do., Collins and Son; Reynolds, do., Fullerton and Doyle; Begley, do., Little O h Uadhaigh and Proud; O'Reilly do., J. H. Dixon; arrangt., do., O'Meara, Cussen and Kieran; do., do., W. V. Seddall; Kavanagh, audit mortg. ac., Collins and Son; Maloney, do., J. E. Cresswell.

Chambers No. 1 (Room 38), at 11 o'clock—Cummins v. Crean, sign cert.; Lyhane v. Murphy, do.; Healy v. Healy, 1922/186, do.; Edwards v. Malone; Blake v. Kennedy; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Beadle; Dunne v. Brett.

Chambers No. 2 (Room 39), at 11 o'clock—Carson v. Carson, sign cert.; City of Dublin Steam Packet Co., do.; Long and Co., Dublin, Ltd., do.; Usborne v. Limerick Market Trustees, do.; P. Nugent, decd., Nugent v. Nugent, do.; Plunkett v. Duggan; T. Sexton, decd., McDonnell v. Sexton; Munster and Leinster Bank, Ltd. v. Hastings; J. Hutchinson, decd., Hutchinson v. Dillon; Scally v. Shaw.

LAND REGISTRY.—Before the Registrar. At Land Registry, Chancery street, at 12 o'clock—Jeremiah Dunworth, regd. owner, Folio 7878, Co. Limerick. Application of Bridget Slattery; objection by Mary Dunworth.

CONSOLIDATED TAXING OFFICE.—Master Kilbride, at 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind (G.S.), J. Quail; Grant v. Spencer, W. Findlater and Co.; Kavanagh v. M'Cready, M. P. Kearney; Moore v. O'Reilly, W. J. Fegan and Co.; Irish Agricultural Wholesale Society v. Mullen, J. T. Doyle and Co.; Bermingham v. Bermingham, Downes and Co.; Rogers, decd., E. McDermott. Master Denning, at 11 o'clock. Exparte Taxations—Roche v. Browne, P. J. O'Flaherty and Son; same, W. Caulfield; MacMahon v. McGan, Norman and Franks; Leahy v. Queen's Theatre (Dublin), Ltd., Noyk and O'Reilly; Boland v. Mooney, J. J. Dunne; Baltinglass No. 1 R.D.C. to Byrne, P. J. Byrne; Coffey v. Barrett, J. E. McDermott; Coffey v. Barrett, C. Stapleton; Coffey v. Barrett, C. Stapleton; Coffey v. Barrett, C. Stapleton; Booth v. Savage, Stritch and Stritch; Dooley's estate, G. D. Fottrell and Sons; O'Doherty v. Carolan, M. C. O'Doherty and Son. Master Macnamara, at 11 o'clock—A person of unsound mind (G.S.), G. Barron; Pim Bros. v. Cunningham, Horan and Devine; Brennan v. Donnelly, J. H. McLoughlin and Son; same, Bowles and French; Dermody v. Sutton, J. J. Kennedy; Miley v. Carty, M. J. O'Connor and Co.; Carolan v. Butterly, T. Noonan; Nolan, decd., Whitney, Moore and Keller; Nolan, decd., E. Merrick; O'Brien v. Shannon, W. J. Shannon and Co.

RECEIVER OFFICE.—Mr. Dickinson, Examiner, at 11 o'clock. Applications for Directions—Downes v. Naughton; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Mandeville. Receiver's Accounts—Charles Lynch, O'Kearney and Barrington; M. and L. Bank, Ltd., v. Mandeville, Green, Jermyn and Sons; McCarthy v. McDonald, Sellors and Co.; Sutton v. Sutton, W. F. Chidley; Malcomson v. Bunbury, F. C. Jameson; Yorkshire Insurance Co. v. Kavanagh, F. J. Allen; Richard Warburton, Collis and Ward.

BANKRUPTCY.—Before the Chief Registrar, at 11 o'clock—Dunne, vch. ac., Collins and Son; McMahon, pr. dts. and vch., Thompson and Edwards; arrangt., ac. comp., P. M. Seales.

IRISH LAND COMMISSION.—At Examiners' Chambers. Before Mr. Sullivan, at 11 o'clock—A. L. Moloney (S. 984), discharge rulings.

AN CHUIRT BHREITHIUNAIS CHUARDA (Circuit Court of Justice).—Before the Assistant Circuit Judge. At the Law Courts, Dublin Castle. In Court No. 6, at 11 o'clock—Waters v. McEntee, ejectment; Anderson v. D.U. Dist. Council and Wetshams, Ltd.; Larkin v. same; Byrne v. Byrne; Murphy v. D.U. Tram. Co.; Campbell v. Newman; Condon v. Kelly; Curtis v. Barrett; Calthorpe v. McClelland; Garvey v. Duffy; Delaney v. Hampton Leedom; Devaney v. McInerney.

NOTICE.—Trinity Law Sittings end.

MISSIONS TO CHINA.

The missionary societies with headquarters in London are receiving most interesting letters from representatives in China. Many of these have been in grave danger, and, though as a rule they make little trouble of it, the story of personal experiences is usually a thrilling one. In a number of cases the missionaries have been advised not to stir out of their houses, but they have persisted in carrying on as usual, and have escaped harm. Numbers have been threatened with torture and death, but refused to yield to threats, and still carry on their work.

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Monsignor D'Alton—I think you would [be] well advised to sit down now and write yo[ur] resignation.

Mr. Derrig then wrote out and handed [in] his resignation, which was accepted, and, [on] the motion of Monsignor D'Alton, second[ed] by Mr. Loftus, it was decided to decl[are] vacant the position held by Mr. Derrig, a[nd] that advertisements be issued for the appoi[nt]ment of a successor.

A "SCANDALOUS" BIL[L]

COST OF BUILDING NEW MEATH HOSPITAL.

There was a lively discussion at the m[eet]ing of the County Meath Board of Health [at] Navan, on Wednesday, following the read[ing] of the Acting Engineer's report, which sho[wed] that a sum of £1,889 was required over [and] above the original estimate for the build[ing] of the new Navan County Hospital.

The chief contracts were—Reconstruct[ion] of old hospital, £12,179; heating installat[ion,] hot water supply, and equipment of operat[ing] theatre, £1,625. Two other contracts w[ere] for £575 and £510 respectively.

In regard to the County Home, Trim, [the] Acting Engineer reported that the institu[tion] was in a deplorable state, and that it [was] imperative that a scheme of repairs should [be] proceeded with at once.

In the course of the discussion on the [con]tracts for the hospital, it was pointed [out] that the late Board of Health gave the engineer authority to spend the sums m[en]tioned, and one member, having descr[ibed] the bill as "a scandal," referred to the c[ost] of their workhouses and hospitals [at] Dunshaughlin, which, he said, was disgr[ace]ful. Finally, it was decided to ask [the] County Council for a loan of £2,000.

In connection with the County Home, Trim, it was decided that all the mem[bers] should make a thorough inspection on [the] occasion of the next meeting there.

E. A. Wright, 3 for 53; Jupp, 4 for 72; 2 for 20.
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DERBYSHIRE V. ESSEX.

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TO-DAY'S FIXTURES.

…v. Ulster (Junior Inter-Provincial). Sydney …ade, 2.15.
…eams selected are as follow:—
…er.—A. E. Bex (capt.), H. P. Nicholson, … D. Head, P. Byrne (Sandymount), R. … D. Moran, C. Little (Merrion), W. R. … (Pembroke), C. Boucher (Y.M.C.A.), W. … Pembroke Wanderers), E. V. Cox (Clon…
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…atch will be continued on Saturday, when …ill be made at 11 a.m.

LEINSTER v. PHŒNIX.

…derable interest is being centred in the … between Leinster and Phœnix, which, … to-morrow at Rathmines, will be con… …n Monday. The Park Club are turning … all strength, while Leinster will also field … XI. In addition to the cricket, the … club will hold their "at home," and from … the Civic Guards' Band will be in …ce.

…RION CLUB.—For the present communica… …ould be addressed to the acting Hon. … E. W. Morris, 2 Woodville, Sandford …nskeagh.

MOTOR CYCLING.

BANK HOLIDAY TRIAL.

…annual open two days' reliability trial of …lin and District Club will start to-morrow … at 5 o'clock from Inchicore. The first …n is to Glengariffe, and the route to be … is via Cashel, Lismore, Cork, Macroom, …la, through the Pass of Keimaneigh, the …stance to Glengariffe being 226 miles. The …tors will spend Sunday in Glengariffe, and … free to use their machines on that day. On … a return will be made to Dublin, via … Killarney, Limerick, Nenagh, Roscrea, …h, and Maryborough, the trial finishing at … Bridge with a total mileage for the day … miles. The trial is open to four-wheeled … as well as motor cycles, and a cup is … for the best performance of a car not ex… 1,500 c.c. There are three team prizes in …

FROM THE LEGAL DIARY.

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Mr. Derrig said that he regarded the undertaking that he was asked to sign on the last day as a matter of conscience. They wanted him to go before the Advisory Committee and resign at the same time. So far as the resignation was concerned, it was obvious that the present state of things could not continue, and he did not want to do anything that would interfere with or hang up the scheme. He was anxious to maintain his own rights, and, although he would be placed in a weak position, if the Committee thought so he would resign.

Monsignor D'Alton—I think you would be well advised to sit down now and write your resignation.

Mr. Derrig then wrote out and handed in his resignation, which was accepted, and, on the motion of Monsignor D'Alton, seconded by Mr. Loftus, it was decided to declare vacant the position held by Mr. Derrig, and that advertisements be issued for the appointment of a successor.

A "SCANDALOUS" BILL.

COST OF BUILDING NEW MEATH HOSPITAL.

There was a lively discussion at the meeting of the County Meath Board of Health, in Navan, on Wednesday, following the reading of the Acting Engineer's report, which showed that a sum of £1,899 was required over and above the original estimate for the building of the new Navan County Hospital.

The chief contracts were—Reconstruction of old hospital, £12,179; heating installation, hot water supply, and equipment of operating theatre, £1,625. Two other contracts were for £575 and £310 respectively.

In regard to the County Home, Trim, the Acting Engineer reported that the institution was in a deplorable state, and that it was imperative that a scheme of repairs should be proceeded with at once.

In the course of the discussion on the contracts for the hospital, it was pointed out that the late Board of Health gave the late engineer authority to spend the sums mentioned, and one member, having described the bill as "a scandal," referred to the closing of their workhouses and hospitals like Dunshaughlin, which, he said, was disgraceful. Finally, it was decided to ask the County Council for a loan of £2,000.

In connection with the County Home in Trim, it was decided that all the members should make a thorough inspection on the occasion of the next meeting there.

DUBLIN CIRCUIT COURT

BIG WHEAT THEFTS.

HOW EX-POLICEMAN OPENED BUSINESS.

(BEFORE JUDGE BRONGOOLE.)

Edward Conway, Herman Switzer, Thomas Smyth and Christopher Nangle pleaded not guilty to a charge of conspiring, between May, 1924, and May, 1925, to steal grain from the granaries of the Merchants' Warehousing Company, and with stealing two tons of wheat on the 23rd April, 1925. Conway, who was said to have been a member of the Dublin Metropolitan Police Force, was further charged with receiving the two tons of stolen wheat.

Mr. M. Maguire, K.C., and Mr. Sherry (instructed by Mr. Scott) appeared for Conway, and Mr. J. Healy (instructed by Messrs. Gerald Byrne and Company) appeared for Smyth.

LOW PRICES AFFECT MARKETS.

Opening the case for the prosecution, Mr. Carrigan, Senior State counsel, said that the Merchants' Warehousing Company had five granaries, in which huge quantities of foreign grain of the finest quality were stored. It was brought from a dry climate, and because of the humidity of the climate in Ireland it increased in weight and bulk at the end of a season here.

A remarkable feature of this case was that Conway did not own a sack of wheat, although it would be proved that he had been dealing largely in it. He rented a small yard at 17 Spring Garden street, North Strand, which ostensibly was used as a dairy yard or carriers' yard, and owned one cart, one horse, and, perhaps, a pony and cart. In this yard large quantities of wheat were discovered by detectives on the 21st May.

The detectives later ascertained that Conway actually had a traveller employed in Dublin selling wheat in large quantities at a price which varied almost from day to day, and which was substantially below that ruling in the market. Dublin markets came to be affected by the low prices at which Conway was selling, and detectives were employed to discover what was wrong. They found that employés of the Merchants' Warehousing Company had turned traitors, and were dealing with Conway in wheat.

TWELVE SACKS TRACED.

Detective-Sergeant John Lynch deposed to finding twelve sacks of wheat in Conway's dairy yard. When questioned Smyth said—"Nearly all the carters are delivering stuff at Conway's." Switzer, storeman at one of the largest granaries at the North Wall, he added, gave them the wheat. Nangle admitted that, by arrangement with Switzer, he and Smyth took sacks of wheat to Conway's and received £4 for it. Switzer asked him to go there again, but he refused.

Montgomery Smyth, storeman, described the silo as a grain store with a capacity of over 14,000 tons. He said that he received no order from Conway, and gave none for delivery of grain to him.

Mr. J. W. Healy, a member of the counting-house staff, gave evidence that the company never had a customer named Edward Conway.

A number of witnesses who bought wheat from Conway were then examined. One woman, who is a dealer in poultry feeding, deposed to paying to Conway a total of £524 7s.

Mr. William Brown, managing director of Messrs. Walter Brown and Co., described the wheat produced in Court as similar to that purchased by his firm for milling purposes. It was generally the dearest on the market. The sacks which he saw at the Bridewell corresponded with sacks used by his firm that had been constantly disappearing.

This closed the case for the prosecution, and the judge refused a direction to the jury in Conway's case.

The four prisoners were found guilty on the charge of conspiracy. Switzer, Nangle and Smyth were found guilty of stealing two tons of wheat, and Conway guilty of receiving.

Sentence was postponed until November, and the prisoners were released on bail meanwhile, Mr. Maguire intimating that they would appeal from the verdict.

POLITICAL TESTS.

DISCUSSION AT DUBLIN COUNTY COUNCIL.

At yesterday's meeting of the Dublin County Council Mrs. Sheehy Skeffington moved a resolution protesting against Section 71 of the Local Government Act, 1925, and calling for the abolition of all political tests on public officials. She said that it was illogical to have an oath imposed which was really futile. It had been sought to press the test in cases where officials applied for an increase of salary.

Mr. Caffery seconded.

Mr. O'Connor said that the Government was appointed by the Irish people, and that Council was there to carry out the laws as they stood.

Mr. T. M. Good said that it was to be regretted that a political discussion should be introduced.

Mr. J. P. McCabe, supporting the resolution, said that although the Government was hitting at Republicanism in the test, yet Republican flags were flying from every Government building in the twenty-six counties. (Laughter.)

Sir Simon Maddock—Treason. (Laughter.)

Mr. Bolton said that although he was in favour of the Treaty he should say that he considered the test vindictive and spiteful.

The Chairman said that if he thought the section was a hardship he would not support it.

The motion was defeated by twelve votes to six.

CROP PROSPECTS IN COUNTY TYRONE.

AN ABUNDANT YIELD.

Our Dungannon Correspondent says:—There are prospects of a record harvest throughout South and East Tyrone. Except in low-lying lands, farmers were able to get the crops in early, and the spell of warm weather, followed by the recent mild, showery period, has given an impetus to all the root and grain crops.

Corn received a set-back, due to the heavy rainfall during the late spring, but has revived wonderfully, and promises a big harvest. Wheat has been more extensively sown this year, the acreage being at least one-third larger than that of the past two seasons. The crop is well forward, and is not affected with rust.

Potatoes, the staple crop, in all instances, will show a splendid return. The early varieties are being used, and the yield is above the average. All the late varieties have been sprayed. Fields planted as late as the first week in June have made rapid progress, and as there is as yet no trace of blight all varieties are likely to give a record yield.

Turnips and mangold, in most instances, although held in check by the prolonged dry weather, are a good crop. Flax also benefited by the recent rain, and the increased acreage is likely to produce a heavy yield. The fibre is sturdy. Hay is generally a light crop, but this is compensated for by the quality. The expense attached to the saving of the crop, thanks to the dry weather, is small. The fruit crop, save for gooseberries and currants, is a total failure. Apple and pear trees blossomed strongly, but the prolonged wet and cold rotted the fruit buds.

Farmers toiled hard to provide fuel. Last year's turf, which, when cut, had to be abandoned, has now been dried and stacked. In some instances additional turf has been cut, but a remarkable fact was revealed when over thirty farmers in Dungannon market were interviewed yesterday. They came from districts as far as twenty to thirty miles apart, and not one had saved more than a year's supply of turf. This appears all the more remarkable as the persons interviewed had to purchase coal last winter.

BELFAST MOTOR ACCIDENTS.

CHILD KILLED IN YORK STREET.

There were two motor accidents in York street, Belfast, last night.

William McCracken, aged 3½ years, of 11 Bute street, wandered into the roadway and was knocked down by a motor car. One of the wheels passed over his head, and he was killed instantaneously.

Later, Henry Acheson (60), of Cranmore street, was run over by a chara-banc, and sustained serious injuries.

DUBLIN AND THE PROVINCES.

DUBLIN.

Died in a Chair.—"Death from heart failure" was the verdict of the Coroner's jury, at an inquest at the Dublin City Morgue yesterday, on the body of Thomas J. Purcell, 46 Synge street, who was found dead, sitting in a chair in his own room, on Wednesday night.

Greater Dublin Movement.—The Dublin County Council, at its meeting yesterday, appointed a deputation of its members to attend a conference to be called by the Greater Dublin Reconstruction Movement with reference to the proposed road-widening schemes on the North Dublin City boundary. Formal consultations are arranged to take place between the Dublin County Council, Howth Urban Council and the Dublin City Commissioners.

British and Irish Steam Packet Company.—A very pleasant meeting was held at the head offices of the British and Irish Steam Packet Company, 27 Sir John Rogerson's quay, on Thursday last, when Mr. W. Ramsey Birney was presented by the staff with a piece of silver plate, on the occasion of his retirement from the service of the company. The General Manager, Mr. David Barry, O.B.E., in making the presentation, congratulated Mr. Birney on his long and faithful service, extending over a period of 45 years, and appropriately expressed his and the staff's appreciation of the genial qualities and friendly disposition which was characteristic of him throughout his long business career. The Manager, Mr. McLachlan, and others endorsed Mr. Barry's remarks, and Mr. Birney, in replying, thanked the General Manager and all his old colleagues for the unvarying kindness and consideration that he had received at their hands, and for their good wishes.

Free Entertainment in Croke Park.—To-day at 2 p.m., in Croke Park, the Army Athletic Association have arranged to bring off a grand gymnastic and athletic fixture for the entertainment of the officers and men of the United States ship Pittsburgh. Some of the best gymnasts of the Army will participate in the display, while in addition to many athletic events, a first-class hurling match will be brought off. Through the kindness of Admiral Andrews, the band of the Pittsburgh, in addition to the No. 1 Army Band, will give a recital during the evening. The Army authorities have arranged that admission to Croke Park will be free to the general public. After the Croke Park fixture the Army Athletic Association have arranged to bring off a grand aquatic gala at Blackrock at 6.30 p.m., when a very enjoyable evening may be expected. The Rev. President of Blackrock College has kindly placed the grounds of the College at the disposal of the ship's company for the duration of their visit.

PASSENGERS BY B. AND I. LINE, VIA LIVERPOOL.

ARRIVALS:—J. O'Reilly, R. Phipps, T. O'Dowd, Major Everard, Miss Halliday, Mr. and Mrs. Fortescue, Mr. and Mrs. Damon, Mr. and Mrs. Thompson, Mr. and Mrs. Jeffers, Father Jackson, R. Hinchcliffe, A. M. Bruce, J. Fowler, Dr. Alice Hutchinson, the Misses Barrington, Dr. Dowdall, Mr. and Mrs. D. O'Brien, Mr. and Mrs. Nettlefold, Major Tundall, Miss Foy.

DEPARTURES:—H. Glanville, Mr. and Mrs. E. T. Pasley, Captain Palmer, J. Crispin, R. McNamara, T. Whittaker, C. Klingner, J. Bohane, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. O'Connor, Major Beardwood, Mrs. Powell Anderson, Rev. Father Shine, A. H. Murray, Mr. and Mrs. Stewart, Dr. and Mrs. Pollard, R. O. Robson, Rev. T. Hooker.

LEINSTER.

Meath Board of Health.—At the first meeting after the elections of the County Meath Board of Health, held in Navan on Wednesday, Mr. Patrick Hopkins was unanimously elected Chairman. Mr. Thomas Bownes (Labour) was elected Vice-Chairman by 5 votes to 3 for Mr. Patrick Duffy.

Big Price for a Holding.—Messrs. Warren and Co., auctioneers, Gorey, sold a six-acre farm, held as a freehold, with residence, adjoining Gorey town, to Mr. N. Cahill, Benogue, for £675 and auction fees.

Police Barracks Rebuilt.—The building formerly occupied by the Royal Irish Constabulary at Mullinahone, Co. Tipperary, and which was destroyed, is now being rebuilt. It is stated that the Civic Guard, who are now stationed in unsuitable quarters, will occupy the new building when completed.

Sale of a Farm.—Mr. James Morris, auctioneer, Tullamore, sold, for Mr. Stewart Griffith, Park Villa, Moate, his farm of 165 acres, Statute, for £3,400, to Mr. T. Corry, Killsella, Castlerea.

Tobacco in County Homes.—The Department wrote to the Meath Board of Health on Wednesday, stating that they were not entitled to supply inmates of the County Home, other than the aged and infirm, with tobacco. It was decided to supply only the infirm and those over 60 with tobacco, and the distribution was left to the matron.

Mad Bull Shot.—A report having reached Parliament street Civic Guard Barracks, Kilkenny, on Wednesday, that a valuable bull, the property of Senator the Dowager Countess of Desart, had gone mad at Talbots' Inch, Civic Guards, accompanied by Captain Farrell, from the military barracks, Kilkenny, proceeded to the place and shot the animal.

Wandering Children.—Art and William O'Brien, who gave their addresses as 8 Rutland street, Dublin, and whose ages are 13 and 14, respectively, left Dublin on July 16 in search of adventure. They were having a rest in a hay loft at Talbots' Inch, Kilkenny, the residence of Lady Desart, when found by Sergeant McCarthy. They were handed over to Inspector McDonagh, N.S.P.C.C.

King's County Library.—The Commissioner for King's County, at Thursday's meeting of the County Council, appointed, as Library Committee in connection with the Carnegie Trust grant, the County Council and the Technical Instruction Committee. The salary of librarian is fixed at £250. The Committee will appoint a librarian from a list of competent persons furnished by the Trust.

Accident to a Band.—Some of the members of a military band, which was returning from the County Cavan to Dublin, were injured near the village of Dunshaughlin, when one of the tyres of their motor lorry flew off. The lorry was overturned and the men were thrown on the road. Three of them were injured, and were taken to Dublin in an ambulance.

A Doctor's Superannuation.—At the meeting of the Meath Board of Health in Navan on Wednesday a letter was read from the Department, that they were not prepared to assent to the proposal to grant a superannuation of £235 15s. 9d. per annum to Dr. D. J. O'Reilly, late Medical Officer of the Ratoath Dispensary district. They would be prepared to agree to an addition of six years to his service of 20 years, for the purpose of calculating his pension, making it £153 5s. 3d. The Board decided to grant the superannuation, as suggested by the Department—viz., £153 5s. 3d.

Arrested in Ulster.—Edward Sweeney, of Cartron, Longford, was arrested by the Ulster Constabulary on a charge of stealing three head of cattle belonging to Mr. Henry McNeill, of Longford, and one, the property of Mr. Byrne. Sweeney was handed over to Sergeants McNally and McGoldrick, of the Longford Civic Guard; and in Longford yesterday was formally remanded to the next District Court.

MUNSTER.

Tipperary Fat Pig Market.—At the Tipperary Fat Pig Market on Thursday quotations were 70s. per cwt., live-weight, an increase of 1s. per cwt. on last week.

Post Office in a Church.—The business of the Clonakilty Post Office has been removed from the old premises to the Gothic church in Emmet square, where until recently Presbyterian services were held for over half a century.

Widening a River.—A joint grant by the County Council and the Government, amounting to £1,300, has been allotted for the widening and deepening of six miles of the Blind River, near Ballinascarthy, Clonakilty. Nearly sixty men are employed. The work when completed will be a great boon to the farmers of the district, whose lands have suffered severely from floods.

Robbery Charge.—At Tipperary on Wednesday two young men of the farming class named Timothy Reardon, Leenane, Cappawhite, and Richard Ryan, Pallas, Donohill, were sent for trial by Mr. Gerald Farrell, District Justice, on a charge of having on 26th April, 1923, while armed with firearms at Cranley's Cross, Donohill, held up John Bolsten, postman, Tipperary, and robbed him of money orders, valued at £17 14s. 2d. They were also charged with unlawfully receiving the money on 19th September, 1924.

CONNAUGHT.

Leitrim County Committee.—The Leitrim County Committee of Agriculture and Technical Instruction have appointed Monsignor Soden, Manorhamilton, Chairman of the Committee, and the Rev. F. Farrelly, C.C., Ballinamore, Vice-Chairman.

The Senate Elections.—At a meeting of the North Roscommon Executive of the Cumann na nGaedheal, at Croghan, it was decided that a list of candidates for the forthcoming Senate Elections would be prepared by the Executive for the guidance of voters of the area. The president, the Rev. M. Brennan, C.C., strongly urged the formation of credit societies.

Motor Driver Imprisoned.—At the Castlebar District Court on Wednesday, Patrick McGreal, of Westport, was sentenced to a fortnight's imprisonment on a charge of being drunk while in charge of a motor car. He was also fined £1 for failing to produce his licence, which the Court now suspended for six months.

Alleged Forged Contract.—Receiving a document which purported to be a contract for the repair of a road and to have eminated from the Mayo County Surveyor's office, Peter Keane, Sheaun, Ballycroy, employed a number of men and put them to work on the road. The men were at work for some time before Mr. Keane discovered that the contract was a forgery. John Leneghan, Ballycroy, has been returned for trial, charged with forging the document.

Egg Merchants' Resolution.—At a meeting of the West of Ireland Egg Merchants' Association, at Claremorris, resolutions were passed asking the Department of Agriculture to establish poultry stations in each district, for the purpose of distributing improved settings of eggs; asking that the system of loading eggs into boats by ropes be abolished and platforms substituted; that egg-testing should be for the period from May 1st to December 31st; and protesting against the egg export tax of 2d. per case.

Shot by Airgun.—A young man named Francis McMorrow, of Gortnacorkogue, Killarga, near Manorhamilton, was on Wednesday seriously injured by a pellet from an air gun. He was removed to the County Hospital, Manorhamilton, from which he was sent to the Eye and Ear Hospital, Adelaide road, Dublin, on Thursday, to have his injured eye extracted. The shooting, which was accidental, occurred when the boy was leaving a shop, outside which some young men were practising with the air gun.

NORTHERN IRELAND.

Pork Prices Going Up.—In the Lurgan weekly market yesterday, pork advanced 4s. per cwt. since last week, and sold at 100s. per cwt.. There was a good supply.

Gilford Motor Offences.—When William Chambers, Carleton street, Portadown, was fined 20s. and costs at Gilford (Co. Down) Petty Sessions, on Wednesday, for driving a motor cycle at a dangerous speed—namely, 25 miles an hour, on 12th July, District Inspector Allen said that it was men like the defendant who did the harm. He did not mind them killing themselves as long as they did not kill any others. In other cases under the Motor Acts fines ranged from 2s. 6d. to 20s. and costs were imposed

Fatally Injured by Motor Car.—The death of Robert Hazley, aged 50, who was run down and fatally injured by a motor car while while crossing the Antrim road, Belfast, was investigated yesterday by the Coroner. The jury found that it was an unavoidable accident.

Speed of a Char-à-Banc.—John Denver, High street, Portaferry, was fined 5s. in the Belfast Summons Court yesterday for having driven a char-a-banc at a speed exceeding twelve miles an hour. A constable said that the speed was nineteen and a half miles an hour.

Charge of Pocket Picking.—Two Belfast men, John Campbell, Charles street, and William Milligan, Taylor street, were remanded at a special Court in Banbridge on Tuesday on a charge of having attempted to pick pockets at the Banbridge Show.

Missing Dress and Boots.—Sarah Donnelly, who said that she belonged to Omagh, was bound over in her own surety in the Belfast Custody Court yesterday on a charge of stealing a dress and a pair of boots from a restaurant where she was employed. She could give no reason why she took the articles.

Charge Against a Traveller.—Mr. Toppin, R.M., presiding in the Belfast Custody Court yesterday, committed for trial before the Recorder Jas. Morrison, of Ballycarry street, on a charge of receiving and taking into his possession certain sums of money belonging to his employers. The accused was a traveller.

Death of Belfast Merchant.—The death of Mr. Alexander Anderson, a well-known Belfast merchant, has occurred at 34 Cliftonville avenue. He was the proprietor of the toy and fancy goods shop known as "The Ark." He was the third son of the late Mr. Hamilton Anderson, and grand-nephew of the late Mr. John Hamilton, who built and endowed St. John's Church, Laganbank.

Knocked Down by Runaway.—William Forbes, aged 51, a breadserver, residing at 5 Strathview street, Belfast, in endeavouring to stop his horse, which bolted in Belfast yesterday, was knocked down and injured about the head. He was removed to the Royal Victoria Hospital, but was able to leave after the wound had been stitched.

Taken Across the Border.—On Wednesday evening a police escort from Newry proceeded to the Armagh-Louth border and there received from the Dundalk Civic Guards Hugh Flanaghan, of Castlewellan (Co. Down), who is wanted at Downpatrick on the charge of larceny of a bicycle. Flanaghan, it is alleged, while working in Downpatrick took the machine, cycled to Dundalk, and joined the Free State Army. His description was circulated by the R.U.C., and he was discovered in Newbridge Military Barracks, where he was arrested by the Civic Guard, conveyed to Dundalk, and thence to the Border.

GUARD ATTACKED.

ATTEMPT TO RESCUE A PRISONER.

Although dismissing a charge of attempting to rescue a prisoner from Civic Guard Denis Dineen (122 F), Mr. Cussen, at the Kingstown District Court yesterday, marked the case a proper one to bring forward. He commended the Guard for the intelligent, accurate and conscientious manner in which his evidence was given.

"I believe," said Mr. Cussen, "he is labouring under a mistake when he says that O'Brien (the accused) struck him, but that mistake is quite a natural one, and he is not to be blamed in any way for thinking that O'Brien joined with the cowards who tried to get Edward Kernan from the custody of 122 F. That the Guard is an efficient officer is further proved by the fact that he retained the custody of his prisoner and brought him to barracks."

MILK SELLERS FINED.

Christopher Cullen, 58 Lower George's street, Kingstown; Mrs. K. Brodrick, Ardcaine, Glenageary; and Mrs. Jane Muston, 72 York road, Kingstown, were each fined £2 for selling milk 10 per cent. deficient in natural fats.

THIRTY-TWO MILES AN HOUR.

In motoring cases, James V. Mevenn, Merrion road, Dublin, was fined £2 for driving at 32.6 miles an hour, and Richard Williams, Grosvenor square, Rathmines, was ordered to pay the same fine for a speed of 32.7 miles an hour.

POTEEN TILL OR WINDMILL?

DEMONSTRATION TO BE GIVEN IN COURT.

At the recent District Court held at Monaghan in a poteen prosecution against Michael Treanor and his two sons, John and Patrick, of Clonkeen, Emyvale, evidence was given by the Civic Guard of the finding of a still on the premises of defendant, who when questioned said that the apparatus was for boiling water for potato spraying purposes, and that the still-head, which was a zinc bucket with a hole in it, was portion of a windmill for scaring rooks from his crop.

Treanor said that he got the idea when going to Fintona, and by the aid of a stick a noise was made resembling a gunshot. He had worked the idea successfully for two years.

His Worship (Mr. M. J. Hannon) adjourned the case until next Court to enable Treanor to fetch the windmill apparatus to Court and to give a demonstration from it.

The seizure was made during a raid made by the joint forces of the Civic Guard and R.U.C. along an 18-mile front of border on the morning of July 12th between Moy Bridge, Co. Armagh, and Rosslea, Co. Fermanagh.

Thousands of ladies keep a box of Martin's pills in the house. Those who use them recommend them, hence their enormous sale. Price 5s. Sold by all Chemists and Stores; or post free from Proprietors, Martin, Chemists, Southampton.—(Advt.)

THE SPENDTHRIFTS.

HOW RATEPAYERS' MONEY WAS SQUANDERED.

REVEALED BY AUDITOR.

The report of Mr. Arthur C. Ellis, Local Government Auditor, who was deputed to examine the accounts of the Dublin Corporation for the last three years of its existence, makes unpleasant reading.

Pensions at the maximum rates, the ratepayers are informed, were "recommended in a wholesale manner, irrespective of age or length of service," and the wages paid to the Council's employés were "generous in the extreme." Instances of the Corporation's liberality—with the municipal finances in other directions—are not lacking in the report.

THE CHIEF POINTS.

The following are some of the chief points from the report:—

Considerable amounts were paid in overtime, one committee alone expending £2,596 in this way.

Wages paid to employés were "generous in the extreme." Mr. Ellis quotes the following case:—For the month of May, 1921, there were payments of £10 9s. 4d., £11 8s. 4d., £8 19s. 2d., and £10 11s. 7d. to a bricklayer in respect of his wages for the respective weeks in that month.

The Council "abused the discretion vested in them in regard to the granting of pensions to employés." In one case a tradesman, described as "carpenter and assistant inspector under Paving Committee," was, after ten years' service, granted a pension of £189 10s. 2d. a year.

The pensions bill to be borne by the ratepayers has grown to an alarming extent during the past four years. In 1920-21 it was £19,324, in 1923-24 the total was £49,115.

SICK PAY.

The total expenditure on sick pay for three years ending 31st December, 1924, was £37,979 6s. 1d., the number of days lost through illness 87,541, and the number of persons actually in receipt of sick pay 2,616, out of a possible 4,327.

Of seventy employés of the Lighting Committee entitled to receive sick pay in 1924, sixty-one actually received it, and in the case of the Workshops Committee's employés the number was 34 out of a possible 37.

Expenses under the head of "deputation expenses" for the three years under review amounted to £288, £854, and £537, respectively.

Some of the items comprising these expenses were:—

£211 7s. 10d.—Two officials and two members of the Council travelling to England and the Continent in connection with paving and cleansing work—27 days at £1 11s. 6d. per day, plus travelling expenses.

£115 2s. 7d.—Two officials and two members of the Council travelling to Great Britain *re* use of motors for street cleaning.

£58 16s. 0d.—Expenses to London *re* Weights and Measures Department. Three travelled.

£64 5s. 11d.—Expenses to Zurich *re* testing motors. Two travelled.

£51 7s. 3d.—Expenses, Congress Sanitary Institute. Three travelled.

£99 1s. 2d.—Expenses to Aberdeen and Leeds *re* road construction. Three travelled.

£73 16s. 2d.—Expenses, London and Bournemouth *re* film censoring. Three travelled.

£55 10s. 6d.—Expenses to London *re* Housing Exhibition. Four travelled.

The auditor's comments on above:—"It is a matter for consideration whether the information secured as a result of these expensive journeys to the Continent and Great Britain could not have been secured in a more economical way at a time when the rates were the highest on record. The Commissioners might consider the advisability of adopting the rules and regulations governing travelling and subsistence allowances of Government employés."

Of increases in expenditure, the Auditor draws attention to the following:—"Payments for pensions have almost doubled during the three years. The expenditure on wages increased from £95,439 in 1921-22 to £108,158 in 1923-24." In the Main Drainage section the expenditure on pensions had grown from £258 in 1921-22 to £1,627 in 1923-24.

FARMERS AND THE DAIL.

A WORD TO LABOURERS.

At a farmers' meeting at Piltown, County Kilkenny, in connection with the Free State Senate elections, Mr. D. J. Gorey, T.D., said that since the last elections several measures of the utmost importance to the agricultural community had been put through the Dail. A country that was losing £15,000,000 annually could not afford to do so for long. The sooner they saw to the remedy, the sooner they would see to their own bread and butter. The amending bill, dealing with building sites under the Land Purchase Act, would not be received with open arms, and they expected considerable opposition to it.

Mr. P. M'Grath, County Secretary, of the Farmers' Union, said that the agricultural workers should strengthen the hands of the Farmers' Party. It was time that the hatchet should be buried, and he had no doubt that it would be buried as soon as the labourers realised their position. They were too easily duped by harangues from Liberty Hall, and were paralysing the agricultural industry of the country.

IRISH INDUSTRIES.

APATHY OF THE PUBLIC CONDEMNED.

A number of workers interested in the Irish Industries Crusade, which was recently started for the support of Irish manufactured goods, was addressed last night by Mr. Alfred Byrne, T.D., at 14 North Great George's street, Dublin.

He said that he proposed to write to the Dail representatives in those districts from which he received unsatisfactory reports regarding the sale and promotion of Irish-made goods, and with the Cumann na nGaedheal branches and the various trade unions.

He had found that in the woollen industry unemployment was increasing, especially in Cork. Reports from Sligo and Galway with reference to the sale of Irish matches were very bad. More than half the shops in these districts were selling Austrian, Belgian, German and Swedish matches. This state of affairs was due to the apathy of the people themselves, and he was not going to blame the shops. It was mentioned that workers in the envelope-making, the bag-making, and stationery printing trades were on half-time. A delegate from a local comb and Rosary beads factory said that a deputation was to wait upon Dr. Byrne to procure his influence to secure the purchase by convents and other Catholic institutions of Irish-made Rosary beads.

SUGAR FACTORY.

ATHY'S CLAIM RE-STATED.

The farmers of the Ballyadams district of Queen's County have passed a resolution stating that they consider that Athy is very much more suitable than any other site in the Barrow area for the erection of the proposed beet factory for the following reasons—

1—Athy is the centre of the largest tillage area in Ireland.

2—The farmers and labourers are accustomed to tillage operations, and are ready with the machinery to continue and enlarge the present tillage area. They are trained tillers; have tilled when tillage did not pay, have improved their methods, and are determined to make tillage pay, and now welcome a beet factory in their midst as an opportunity for increased tillage.

3 The soil in the several tillage districts around Athy is, according to expert knowledge available, most suitable for beet cultivation.

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DUBLIN DISTRICT COURT.

HOUSE BURGLED

WHEN FAMILY WENT ON HOLIDAY.

(BEFORE MR. COLLINS.)

Michael O'Hara and Christopher Carroll, both of Lower Wellington street, were remanded on charges of breaking and entering the residence of Dr. Eustace, at 30 Rutland square, on the night of July 23rd. The family was away on holiday, and the house was locked up. Articles, chiefly table ware, to the value of £12 10s., were missed afterwards.

The evidence was that O'Hara, who had a brown paper parcel, was seen walking along Eden quay with another man on Tuesday evening. The men walked into a public-house, and two detectives, who followed, discovered that they had gone out through the back of the premises. In the course of a search for the men, one of the detectives found a parcel containing the missing articles, which apparently had been thrown over a wall at the back of Eden quay. Later O'Hara, who then had no parcel, was arrested in Gardiner street.

Both men denied having the parcel which was found, and O'Hara stated that the parcel which he was seen carrying contained boots.

SEAMAN SENT TO JAIL.

A seaman named John Oliver, said to be a native of Hull, was sent to jail for two months for being in illegal possession of articles of clothing and other goods, which were missed from the s.s. Ashtabula, an oil tanker, berthed at the South Wall. The accused belonged to the crew of this boat, and was arrested at the North Wall. A detective stated that he found the prisoner hiding in one of the lifeboats on board a B. and I. steamer.

WINDOW-BREAKING.

Ellen Hayden, a dealer, pleaded guilty to breaking the plate glass window of a shop in North Cumberland street. She stated that she had been to the offices of an insurance company, where it was agreed to accept 10s. a week from her until the value of the window (stated to be £10 16s.) was met in full. The case was adjourned to enable a representative of the company to attend.

PLENTY OF WATER IN BELFAST.

It was announced by the Belfast City Water Commissioners last night that from to-day there will be no restrictions on the use of water. The recent heavy rain has brought the water in the reservoirs up to the necessary level.

Mr. R. E. Nicholls, B.A., director of the Manchester Broadcasting Station, has been appointed assistant to the Director of Education for the British Broadcasting Co., in London.

ALL-IRELAND POLO CLUB "AT HOME."

Yesterday was an "At Home" day at the A.I.P.C., Phœnix Park. The weather was delightfully fine, and there was a distinguished gathering.

His Excellency the Governor-General was amongst the early arrivals, and a number of officers from the American flagship Pittsburgh, were the guests of the club, including Admiral Andrews (attended by Captain Trayers), Captain F. T. Evans, Lieutenant-Commander J. C. Logan, Lieutenant Hunter, Lieutenant-Commander Spruance and Lieutenant-Commander Woodward. The officers of the National Army present were—Lieutenant-General MacMahon, Chief of Staff; Major-General McNeill, Adjutant-General; and Major-General Hogan.

In the first match Major-General Hogan's team beat the A.I.P.C. by 4 goals to 3. Both sides were well equipped in the matter of ponies, and a fast pace was maintained throughout. The winners played a splendid game, the hitting all round being of a high standard. Major Kirkwood was in excellent form, his clever striking being one of the features of a particularly good game. Mr. Johnston stood out prominently for A.I.P.C. He scored one brilliant goal with a pull shot, after a grand round gallop over half the ground.

There was some fast open galloping in the opening period, which yielded a goal to each side. General Hogan's team were the first to score, Mr. Lillis hitting through after a fine gallop by Major Kirkwood. The equaliser, however, was not long delayed, as shortly after the throw in Mr. Johnston put in a grand gallop and wound up with a brilliant goal. Level scoring was again the order in the second chukkar, but General Hogan's team got down at the ball to hit through for the lead. Mr. Trench first put his side into the lead; Mr. Arnott, with a long shot from the right, equalised, and then Major Kirkwood also got through a long drive to place his side ahead. There was any amount of hard open galloping in the third period. First one goal and then the other was threatened, but it was near the finish when Mr. Trench scored a good goal to give his side an advantage of two. A.I.P.C. strove hard to wipe out their arrears in the final period, but they only succeeded in getting through on one occasion. Mr. Arnott then put in one grand run and shot from far out, but the ball was cleared from the post. A.I.P.C. were attacking at the finish, but Major-General Hogan's team won by 4 goals to 3. The teams were:—

A.I.P.C.—Commandant Mason, Mr. M. Arnott, Mr. Johnston, and Mr. J. P. A. Larmine (back).

Major-General Hogan's Team—Mr. F. G. Lillis, Major-General Hogan, Major Kirkwood, and Mr. J. A. B. Trench (back).

Umpires—Mr. W. Fitzgerald and Mr. Durack.

The second match, between Wrens and Woodpeckers, was a one-sided affair, Wrens winning by 9 goals to 1. Captain Daly and Mr. Arnott showed good form for the winners, the former scoring three goals. The winners played well as a team, but their opponents, though good individually, were disorganised at times. The teams were as follow:—

Wrens—Captain B. Daly, Mr. R. S. Slocock, Mr. M. Arnott, and Mr. J. A. B. Trench (back).

Woodpeckers—Captain G. Martin, Mr. Larmine, Mr. B. O'Reilly, and Major Kirkwood (back).

Umpire—Mr. W. Fitzgerald.

To-morrow (Saturday):—Clondalkin v. Earlsfield, 4 o'clock. Practice follows. Teams:—

Clondalkin—Mr. F. J. Lillis, Captain B. Daly, Mr. R. S. Slocock, and Mr. J. A. B. Trench.

Earlsfield—Major-General Hogan, Captain Martin, Mr. J. P. A. Larmine, and Major Kirkwood.

It is officially announced that 280 cadetships—80 at the Royal Military Academy, Woolwich, and 200 at the Royal Military College, Sandhurst—will be competed for by candidates of 18 years at an Army entrance examination beginning November 17.

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THURSDAY, FRIDAY and SATURDAY, at 8.
MATINEE SATURDAY, 2.30.
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By Lady Gregory.
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The Ordinary Published Fares on the Harcourt street line will be withdrawn from 12 noon until 2.0 p.m.
7.0 a.m. and 9.10 a.m. ex. Wexford will stop at Foxrock each day.
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Tenders marked "Paving of Dawson street" and "Paving of St. Stephen's Green," respectively, are to be addressed to the Town Clerk, and delivered at his Office at the City Hall, Dublin, not later than 10.30 a.m. on WEDNESDAY, 12th AUGUST, 1925.
The Commissioners are not bound to accept the lowest or any tender.
By Order,
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
City Hall, Dublin, 28th July, 1925.

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Tenders, marked "Tender for Name Plates," are to be addressed to the Town Clerk, and delivered at his office at the City Hall, Dublin, not later than 12 noon on Friday, 14th August, 1925.
The Commissioners do not bind themselves to accept the lowest or any Tender.
By Order,
JOHN J. MURPHY, Town Clerk.
City Hall, Dublin, 29th July, 1925.

TO-DAY'S ENGAGEMENTS.

Gaiety Theatre—"The Rising Generation," 7.45 p.m.
Olympia Theatre—"The Jog-Trot," 7 and 9 p.m.
Theatre Royal—Varieties, 6.45 and 9 p.m.
Metropole—"The Good Bad Girl," 2.45, 4.55, 7.5, and 9.15 p.m.
The Grafton—"Never Say Die."
The Pavilion, Dun Laoghaire—"White Man," 3.30 to 10.15 p.m.
The Cossacks—Parade through Dublin streets, about 4 p.m.
Gymnastic Display, etc.—Croke Park, 2 p.m.
Dublin South City Markets Co., 3 p.m.

CANADIAN WHEAT.

A HIGH-GRADE CROP.

The Times Toronto Correspondent writes: Twenty superintendents, representing companies which control 408 country elevators throughout the Prairie Provinces, declare with the greatest confidence that the Western wheat crop will aggregate between 350 and 375 million bushels. Cutting will be in full swing in Alberta by August 15th, Saskatchewan by August 20th, and a few days later in Manitoba.

It is not anticipated that there will be any lack of railway cars. The grain men are in agreement that an early crop means a high-grade crop.

The Irish Times.

FRIDAY, JULY 31, 1925.

NEWS SUMMARY.

IRELAND.

At their meeting to-morrow the Dublin City Commissioners will consider a scheme of assistance to persons and Public Utility Societies erecting houses under the Housing Act of 1925.—(Page 7.)

Dr. Patrick Purcell and Leopold Dillon, an ex-superintendent of the Civic Guard, who are charged with the murder of Lily O'Neill, otherwise "Honour Bright," on June 9th, were returned for trial yesterday to the first sitting of the High Court Circuit for the County of Dublin.—(Page 5.)

The two hundred Cossacks who are to appear at Lansdowne road next week arrived in Dublin last night.—(Page 7.)

There was a good display of sheep and cattle at the County Wexford Agricultural Society's Show yesterday, and much attention was paid to the exhibition of home industries.—(Page 4.)

According to Mr. O'B. Graham, Chairman of the York street Flax Spinning Company, yarn and cloth cannot be produced at the prices current in the trade.—(Page 7.)

Unemployment will be one of the chief subjects for discussion at the annual meeting of the Irish Labour Party and Trade Union Congress in Newry next week.—(Page 7.)

GREAT BRITAIN.

The House of Commons yesterday continued the discussion of the Contributory Pensions Bill.—(Page 8.)

Mr. Baldwin has offered to help the coal industry while a new inquiry is being conducted. He suggests that the owners should suspend the notices for a fortnight. No settlement has been reached, but he is meeting the men and the owners again to-day.—(Page 7.)

SPORTING.

At Galway yesterday Over Land won the Lough Mask Plate, Alroi the Galway Hurdle, Goffee the Renmore Plate, All Irish the Traders' Plate, Solus the Galway Blazers' Plate and Father Tom His Majesty's Plate.—(Page 10.)

At Goodwood Cloudbank won the Goodwood Cup.—(Page 10.)

FINANCIAL.

London Stock Markets were heavy, under the adverse influence of the Labour outlook. British Rails were weak on the reduction of the London, Midland and Scottish interim dividend.—(Page 11.)

Money was slightly easier in Lombard street, and overnight loans were made at 4 per cent. to 4½ per cent. Discount rates were steady.—(Page 11.)

In Dublin Guinness Shares fell ⅜ to 63⅝. Courtaulds were again very strong, and rose to 116s. Dublin Tram Ord. improved to 7 1-16.—(Page 11.)

Deposits and Trade.

The half-yearly meetings of the Irish banks came to an end yesterday, when the National Bank declared a dividend at the rate of 14 *per cent.* In all four cases the banks have had a satisfactory six months' trading. The Munster and Leinster's dividend was 18 *per cent.*, free of income tax; the Provincial's was 14½ *per cent.*, and the Hibernian's 10 *per cent.*, also free of tax. So far as the banks' business is concerned, therefore, the outlook seems to be distinctly bright. From the national point of view the position is not quite so encouraging. Deposits have fallen considerably. In the case of the National Bank there has been a decline of £1,171,523 since last December and of £1,390,249 since last June. The balance-sheet of the Munster and Leinster shows a drop of £1,112,646 since December and of £1,174,750 since June, while the deposits of the Hibernian and the Provincial have fallen during the twelvemonth by £887,940 and £667,000 respectively. On the other hand, advances have increased in every case, except that of the Provincial, in which there has been a slight fall in the year, but a marked rise since last December. The Munster and Leinster Bank has advanced nearly £15,000,000 to its customers, and every penny of this money has been advanced in Ireland. The net increase in the banks' advances amounts virtually to £800,000—a figure which indicates that they are pursuing a generous policy towards trade. The charges of undue caution which have been brought against them seem to have very little foundation in fact, while a welcome feature of the meetings has been the firm faith that has been expressed in the Free State's future.

The fall in deposits is an ominous sign of the country's general condition. At the worst period of Ireland's troubles, when the very foundations of society seemed to be in danger of collapse, the bank deposits never ceased to rise. Now, when civil peace had been achieved after years of strife and unrest, they are falling. Trade is at a very low ebb in the Free State, and it can be seen from the banks' figures that the "slump" has been particularly severe during the last six or seven months. The most notable change has been in the live-stock export trade, which has suffered an alarming drop. The diagram which we published some weeks ago illustrating this fact constituted a very serious warning to the Government and the nation at large. That warning is reinforced now by the banks' deposit returns. Part of the fall may be attributed to a "flight" of capital from the Free State at the beginning of the present year, when there seemed to be a danger of Government interference with banking policy. Many timid persons transferred their deposits to English banks or invested their money in British securities, and, although fortunately, the misunderstandings between the Government and the banks now have been removed completely, shaken confidence is not restored easily. Trade depression, however, is the chief cause of the shortage. The banks have done, and are doing, everything in their power to help the farmers who were hit heavily by last year's indifferent harvest and to keep trade generally on its feet; but their power is limited. They cannot depart from that policy of conservative finance which has served the nation so well during the last few years.

Too much stress cannot be laid on the necessity for a bold policy of agricultural development. Protective tariffs on our manufactures have brought little, if any, grist to the mill. Experiments of this kind and that have been tried; but everything points finally to the nation's one great need. Our agricultural exports must be increased. They are the main source of the national income. This year a splendid harvest is expected, and, if the farmers get the assistance which they deserve, the economic prospect a few months hence ought to begin to brighten considerably. The agricultural problem, however, must be tackled in a thorough way. Mr. Hogan's trio of legislative measures for the improvement of the standard of livestock, butter and eggs is likely to bring about a welcome change in the quality of our produce; and the market in Great Britain is ready to take as much as we can send across the Channel. The question of transport then arises. The existing system is costly, cumbersome and inefficient. Railways and roads are in futile and mutually destructive competition. Between the exporter and his market stands a formidable array of unnecessary obstacles, and every year his position *vis-à-vis* his foreign competitors is becoming steadily worse. High taxation and bad transport are the Free State farmer's worst enemies. Some effort has been made to combat the former, although its good effects have been almost neutralised by the incidence of the new import duties; but so far no really serious attempt has been made to solve the transport problem. Until railways and roads are brought into a co-ordinated system the Free State farmer will continue to labour under a crippling handicap. Government and banks will be equally powerless to improve his lot, and this country will be condemned to lag behind its competitors who have been sufficiently wise to concentrate on essentials.

Britain's Peril.

Britain never was nearer to social revolution than it has been this week, but we have every hope that the dispute between the mine-owners and the workers will be settled to-day. Until a late hour last night the deadlock seemed incapable of solution. The Prime Minister's exertions wrung from the masters an immense concession, when the principle of a guaranteed *minimum* wage was accepted; but when Mr. Baldwin asked the men's leaders to agree to some corresponding concession in respect of hours and labour, he was met with a blank refusal. His statement that the men must contribute something to the compromise if a settlement was to be reached was denounced by Mr. A. J. Cook, the miners' secretary, as a "declaration of war." In order to avert a stoppage the Government made a three-fold proposal. Firstly the owners were asked to withdraw their notices terminating the present wages agreement, so that wages would continue as at present. Secondly the Government offered to advance a subsidy until the spring to compensate for the consequent loss. Thirdly it was suggested that a Royal Commission be appointed "with a wider scope than the Sankey inquiry," to investigate the cause of recurrent trouble in the coal-mining industry. Only the gravity of the emergency can excuse the taxing of the community to subsidise the wages of a section; but the proposal is the wisest that could be made at this moment. Whatever comes of the present deadlock, when the dispute is over the cause of recurrent crises in the mines must be investigated. Since 1911 every agreement between masters and men has lasted but a few years, to issue in a fresh struggle, and this cannot continue without heavy loss to every branch of British industry dependent on the coal supply. The Sankey inquiry ruled out from the beginning consideration of some of the miners' grievances and proposals, but the unfettered inquiry now recommended would be free to explore the very roots of discontent. So dependent is British industry in general on cheap and plentiful coal, that the nation's interests demand a thorough and lasting settlement. The organisation of the mines must be overhauled, and the best modern machinery facilitating increased output must be installed. The *communiqué* which contained the last tidings issued last night said that the miners' leaders had agreed to assist the proposed commission. In consideration of this accommodating attitude, it must be hoped that the mine-owners, when met by Mr. Baldwin to-day, will agree to withdraw the disputed notices. A truce thus may be established pending the search for means to reconstruct the industry. Were either side to adopt so irreconcilable an attitude in this dark hour as to enforce a stoppage, their action would paralyse transport, imperil the food supply, shatter thousands of businesses, and spread distress throughout the land. It is from such situations that Bolshevism and Fascism have burst forth in other countries: the one overwhelming the established order in a tide of violence, and the other restoring order by the tyranny of brute force.

What's in a Name.

The problem of marriage in all its aspects has been a source of worry to mankind since the Garden of Eden, but for the final word on the whole question we are indebted to Russia. The Bolshevist Commissar for Internal Affairs has issued regulations at Moscow legalising the retention by a woman of her maiden surname after marriage, if she so wishes. These regulations state that a man and a woman, when registering their marriage, have three courses open to them. They may choose to be known henceforth either by the surname of the man or by the surname of the woman; or they may both retain their separate surnames. So far, so good; but some difficulty arises in the matter of children. In the third case the children "must be registered in the name of either the father or the mother; but, if the parents cannot agree as to which name the child shall take, the Registrar shall chose for the child the name of the parent whose surname begins with a letter nearer in the alphabet to the initial of the first name chosen for the child than is the first letter in the surname of the other parent." This certainly brings us some little way, but it merely touches the fringe of the difficulty. What is to happen, for instance, if the names of both parents happen to begin with the same letter, or if the initial letters of their surnames happen to be equi-distant from the initial letter of the first name chosen? In all conscience the terrors attendant on naming a child in this country are bad enough; but one pales at the mere thought of what it must be like in Moscow. One suspects that in the end Russian parents must agree to subtract the number they first thought of and—toss up!

School Holidays.

This is holiday-time for all schoolboys, and our streets and thoroughfares are suffering their annual invasion of liberated youths from English and Scots schools. They still consist of but two classes—those who look as if they owned the earth and those who look as if they did not care who owned it—and if their trousers are just a shade wider than last year we can, at least, be devoutly thankful that we have escaped the full horrors associated with an ancient and distinguished seat of learning. Mr. F. A. Mitchell Hedges, the famous explorer, stated in an address to the Bournemouth Rotary Club that, in his opinion, the modern generation had become soft. We are inclined to think that a roomful of the bronzed and hardy Dublin variety might cause him to modify his views. The schoolboy—and, for that matter, the schoolgirl—of 1925 is a truly fortunate individual and enjoys a far pleasanter time than the children of a former age. Both mentally and physically is he better equipped. Athletics now take their proper place in the school curriculum, and a large part of the beautiful days of summer are spent where they should be spent—on the river, the tennis or fives courts, at the cricket pitch, or in the swimming-bath. Furthermore, all the advantages of a liberal education that foreign travel affords are available now as never before. The *au pair* system has been adopted widely and is proving of immense benefit. The full results of these educational changes will be felt when the boys and girls of to-day develop into the men and women of to-morrow. Meanwhile it is good to know that the foundations are being securely set, and it is a pleasant change from a work-a-day world to watch our young folk enjoying themselves whole-heartedly.

ROYAL DUBLIN SOCIETY.

RADIUM INSTITUTE.

The annual report of the Irish Radium Committee for the year 1924 has just been printed. During the year 179 doses of radium emanation, amounting in all to 12,885 millicuries, were issued from the Society's laboratory. This is the largest quantity that has ever been issued in a single year. To meet the growing demand for larger doses of emanation the stock of radium has been augmented by the purchase of a further 51 milligrams of the element.

The method of using radium emanation in fine glass tubes, which was developed in the Society's laboratory about ten years ago, still remains the most economic and efficient means of using radium for therapeutic purposes. Its advantages are such that it is now very generally employed throughout the world. The actual radium bromide or radium chloride is dissolved in water and stored in flasks, surrounded by a massive lead screen which protects the operator from the radiations. From these flasks the small quantity of radioactive gas, known as radium emanation, which is slowly but continuously formed by the radium itself, is pumped off twice a week. After elaborate purification, the last stage of which involves the use of liquid air, it is drawn into a fine glass tube, which is then divided by means of a small flame into sealed lengths, each about half an inch long. These can be inserted in serum needles for subcutaneous use or placed in any other form of applicator that may be convenient. Such emanation tubes possess all the radioactive properties of radium itself, except that their activity decays with time, falling to half its initial value in about four days. When suitable allowance is made for this decline in activity, the tubes can be used for several applications before they finally become too weak to give useful results.

The only change in the laboratory technique introduced during the year was the introduction of a mechanical device for holding the emanation tubes during the process of sub-division. This eliminates handling during this stage of the work and prevents the risk of injury to the operator's fingers.

The removal of the radium and the laboratory apparatus from Leinster House to Ballsbridge was effected without interrupting the supply of emanation. This was rendered possible by the kindness of Professor Thrift in supplying liquid air, made in the Physical Laboratory, Trinity College, during the period while the Society's liquid air plant was being moved and set up at Ballsbridge. A temporary laboratory has been fitted up, pending the building of the Society's new laboratories.

The tubes of emanation have been supplied to a number of medical practitioners and hospitals both in Dublin and throughout the country. They have been used for the treatment of various diseased conditions, and successful results, either apparent cures or at least amelioration of painful symptoms, have been reported in a number of cases, especially of cancer of various parts of the body and scars of old wounds. The treatment of lupus, in which disease the emanation appear to be the most successful remedy yet known, is a particularly important part of the work accomplished during the year.

WEATHER FORECAST.

General Inference.—There is still a depression over Scandinavia, and a new depression is indicated south of Iceland. Over the British Isles winds will be mainly south-westerly, and the weather cloudy, unsettled, and cool for the next day or two.

Ireland.—Wind south-west to south, moderate to fresh, strong at times locally; cloudy; some rain; visibility moderate to good; cool.

S.W. Seaboard; Irish Sea and St. George's Channel.—South-westerly winds, moderate to strong; rain at times; visibility moderate to good; sea moderate to rather rough.

N.W. Seaboard.—Variable to southerly winds, light or moderate, freshening; cloudy; some rain; visibility poor at times; sea slight or moderate.

Dixon and Hempenstall, Barometers and Forecasters, 12 Suffolk street, Dublin.—(Advt.)

DUBLIN WEATHER REPORT.

July.	Bar.	Thermometer. Temp. 10 a.m.	Max.	Min.	Grass Min.	Wind.	Rain. m.m.	Sun hours
24	30.024	63.5	73	60	55	N.E.	—	10.9
25	29.754	58.6	66	57	53	N.W.	1.8	0.9
26	29.204	60.2	63	52	47	N.W.	1.8	4.6
27	29.686	56.7	60	53	50	N.W.	38.6	8.7
28	29.804	62.8	66	53	46	W.	1.4	5.2
29	29.724	55.4	65	54	50	N.W.	2.0	0.5
30	29.802	62.0	65	52	44	W.	1.5	6.1

SUN (NEW TIME).
To-day... Rises ... 5.38 Sets 9.23
To-morrow ,, ... 5.40 ,, ... 9.21
Lighting-up Time 10.23

HIGH WATER.
DUBLIN.
To-day.... Morning 7.58 Afternoon 8.31
To-morrow ,, 9. 5 ,, ... 9.39

THE MINISTER FOR JUSTICE.

The Free State Minister for Justice (Mr. O'Higgins) and the Attorney-General (Mr. O'Byrne) arrived from London, via Kingstown, yesterday evening.

BEET GROWERS' THANKS.

At a meeting of the Athy Beet Growers' Association a resolution was passed unanimously, on the motion of Mr. J. J. Bergin, seconded by Mr. C. W. Taylor, expressing appreciation of the manner in which the *Irish Times* had treated the claims of Athy as a site for the proposed beet factory.

COURT AND PERSONAL

This evening the King will leave Goodwood after the races for Southampton, and will embark on the Royal yacht for Cowes, where the Queen will join him for the Regatta. Their Majesties will only make a short stay at Buckingham Palace when they return to London, before starting for Scotland, and are expected to make a longer stay than usual at Balmoral.

Prince and Princess Arthur of Connaught have accepted the invitation of the Home Secretary and Lady Joynson-Hicks for next Monday evening, when they are holding a reception at Lancaster House for the delegates attending the International Prison Congress.

Mary Countess of Longford and her youngest daughter, Lady Violet, and Lady Julia Pakenham, Viscount Rothermere, Lord Dewar, Sir John and Lady Ellerman, Sir Clive Morrison-Bell, M.P.; Lady Orr-Lewis, Mr. and Mrs. A. Balfour and Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Hodgson are among the latest arrivals at the Hotel Royal, Dieppe.

Lord and Lady Dunsany are returning to Dunsany Castle to-day. Sir John and Lady Barton, who have been spending the season in London, have now left for the country. Mrs. Cornelius Vanderbilt and Miss Grace Vanderbilt have left London for the Continent.

The Countess of Huntingdon has left London for Paris, and will spend some weeks abroad before returning to Burton Hall, Loughborough. The Earl of Strathmore has arrived at Glamis Castle, where the Countess of Strathmore will join him next week, and on August 11th the Duke and Duchess of York will arrive there for a visit of a couple of weeks. The Hon. Michael and Lady Doreen Knatchbull have left London for Scotland to visit Lady Doreen's parents, the Marquis and Marchioness of Sligo, at Dalnacardoch.

Lord Glentanar will join his yacht Plesiosaurus to-morrow at Cowes, where his mother, Lady Glentanar, will be in residence at Hamlet Lodge for the Regatta, and will entertain a party, including the Earl and Countess of Haddington, the Earl of Altamont, Lady Alexandra Haig, Lady Jean Dalrymple, Lady Mary Ashley-Cooper, the Hon. John Freemantle, the Hon. Violet Vivian, the Hon. Imogen Grenfell, Major Thomas Hay and Mr. William Forbes.

Vichy is attracting many visitors this summer, and among the latest arrivals are Lord Wolverton, Lord and Lady Dunedin, Lady J. Heath, the Marquis and Marquise de Nervion, and a number of well-known golfers, some of whom arrived in time to compete for the prize offered by Sir Charles Mandleberg, which was played for last Saturday.

The Earl of Kenmare has arrived in Dublin *en route* to Killarney. The Earl of Dudley and Viscount and Viscountess Ednam are at present at Inver Lodge, Connemara, where they will spend the next few weeks fishing. Up to now they have had excellent sport. Sir Edward and Lady Henry are arriving this week at Howth, where they have taken a house for a month. Lady HolmPatrick has returned to Abbotstown, County Dublin, from paying visits in England.

Surgeon Hayden has returned to 20 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. F. X. Callaghan has returned to 13 Merrion square.

Dr. L. G. Gunn has left Fitzwilliam square until September 2nd.

Dr. Groves has left Malahide for a month.

Dr. E. T. Freeman has returned to 22 Fitzwilliam square.

Dr. O'Kelly has returned to 10 Upper Fitzwilliam street.

Dr. W. H. Lowe has returned to 118 St. Stephen's Green, West.

Mr. Gerard Black has returned to 11 Clare street.

Mr. J. I. Potter has returned to 113 Lower Baggot street.

Mr. A. Yeates has left 25 Lower Baggot street till September 1st.

Mr. Walter Harvey has left 94 Mount Clarence, Dun Laoghaire, for a fortnight.

Mr. E. T. Pasley has left 6 Rathmines road until Tuesday, August 25th.

Mr. M. J. O'Meara, L.D.S.I., has left 20 Lower Baggot street for a few weeks.

Mrs. Malcolmson, C.S.M.M.G., has returned to Summerhill, Enniskerry.

Early Autumn Model Coats are being shown at Switzer's, Grafton street.

New Model Hats and Holiday Wear Garments have just arrived. Warehouse open all day to-morrow.—W. Holmes, Dublin, Ltd., 69, 70, 71 South Great George's street.

Madame Renée has just received from Paris some beautiful Model Gowns, etc., for Horse Show.—51A Dawson street.

Messrs. Davis and Co. have just received a choice collection of Model Gowns; also Wraps and Millinery. Black and Black and White Goods a speciality. 'Phone 4905.—45 Grafton street.

Visitors to the Horse Show are requested to note the flowers on the tables in the first-class luncheon rooms. Mr. Mills has purchased them from "Mac's" new Flower Industry.

Great Sale, Gowns, Costumes, Coats, beautiful two-piece Suits.—Barrett and Heade, 5 Dawson street.

Don't fail to have a run in the Lady's Car, the Standard "Piccadilly" Saloon, during Horse Show week. Book your trip early.—R. W. Archer and Co., 65 Lower Mount street.

"Standard Milk" has arrived in Dublin and is likely to remain for an indefinite period. May we have your card?—Hughes Brothers, "Standard Milk" Dairy, Hazelbrook, Rathfarnham. 'Phone Rathfarnham 28.

Horse Show Models just arrived at Slyne's, Ltd., 71 Grafton street.

Consignment of embroidered crêpe-de-chine shawls with deep fringe just arrived at Slyne's.

PASSENGERS ON ROYAL MAIL STEAMERS.

Arrivals:—J. P. Mulcahy, Hon. Mrs. E. D. Knight, D. S. Pringle, Mr. and Mrs. Victor Watson, Gilbert Ritz, Mrs. Fleetwood Cole, Mrs. H. H. MacMahon, E. M. Pike, Dr. M. F. Connolly, Mr. and Mrs. E. B. Dowling, Dr. P. Rowan, W. Mossop, Rev. R. and Mrs. Clarke, Dr. and Mrs. Evans, Dr. J. Lynch, Mrs. Gerard Bingham, Mrs. Middleton Burke, Miss J. B. Anderson, Dr., Mrs. and Miss Carroll, Captain B. J. Hackett.

Departures:—Mr. and Mrs. J. V. Russell, the Misses Lee Wilson, Dr. and Mrs. Graves, Mrs. J. A. Burns, Mr. and Mrs. Blackburn, Gordon J. Plummer, Fred Hanna, A. Lloyd Blood, M. J. Kelly, Mrs. E. Buckley, Miss Iris Buckley, Mrs. Wroughton, Dr. P. M. Bannin, J. P. McGuinness, Professor Fogarty, Patrick Fogarty.

Other arrivals and Departures will be found in "Dublin and the Provinces."

Last Days of McBirney's Great Summer Sale. Final and Drastic Reductions.

Furniture Stored by Miller & Beatty, Ltd., in the only Fire-proof Depository in Ireland.

Horse Show—New Materials and Models for smart Autumn wear in Costumes, Coats, etc. Moderate prices.—Mumford, 18 Suffolk street, Dublin.

A very choice selection of Diamond and Fancy Stone Rings at tempting prices.—John Morton, Jeweller, 48 Nassau street.

P. M. Wilson, 85 Grafton st., Ladies' Tailor (late of Switzers), now showing Exclusive Autumn Models and Materials. Prices moderate.

For the Horse Show Marleen is displaying many beautiful Knitted Suits and Costumes. These garments have come direct from Paris, and are the very latest and most beautiful creations of the famous French designers. Every model is a masterpiece, slender, straight, and graceful.—Marleen Salons, 114 Stephen's Green.

Dressmaking. Best cut and finish.—Jane Mason, 27 Dawson street.

Two-piece Garments in Repp and Tricotine (various colourings), clearing at 59/6. Usual prices 5½ gns.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

Mourning Orders receive prompt attention. 'Phone 4905.—Davis and Co., 45 Grafton street.

MAINTENANCE OF WAR GRAVES.

Sir Worthington-Evans, in the House of Commons yesterday, informed Mr. Cadogan that it was the intention of the Government, in conjunction with the Dominion Governments, to set up an endowment fund of five million pounds for the maintenance of war cemeteries. It was proposed to ask the House to vote £50,000 as the contribution of the United Kingdom for this purpose in respect of the current year.

LONDON LETTER.

THE CRISIS.

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Waiting on the crisis the afternoon and early evening passed away in the House in an almost lifeless manner. Members were unable to settle down to anything, but just drifted in and out in a somewhat aimless fashion. At a moment when it seemed that all hope had been abandoned the news ran through the House that the Prime Minister had sent another invitation to the owners and the miners for a conference during the evening. This was subsequently confirmed by the Chief Government Whip in the House of Commons, when he explained the absence of a statement by the Prime Minister by the fact that Mr. Baldwin was meeting both parties to-night.

Mr. Amery and Ireland.

Preparations are being made in Government circles for a strenuous week-end, and it is improbable that any member of the Cabinet will leave town. The visit of Mr. Amery to Dublin for the Horse Show is thus placed in jeopardy. The Prime Minister will continue to carry on his efforts to secure peace as long as they promise to be effective. In the Lobby this afternoon many members expressed admiration regarding the tenacity and endurance of the Prime Minister during the past few days. Regret was also expressed that his active intervention had been so long delayed.

The moderate section of the Socialist Party in the House of Commons is considerably perturbed over the present situation, and Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and his followers and the Socialist Peers held a meeting to-day in a quiet and secluded Committee Room tucked away in the shadow of the Library of the House of Lords. Nothing was allowed to leak out as to the purpose of the gathering, but it was understood that the whole position and its possibilities had been under discussion.

The Ex-Servicemen's Petition.

The great petition from over eight hundred thousand ex-Service men protesting against modification of the existing pensions rights was not presented to the House of Commons in due and ancient form to-day. Major Cohen, who is allowed to address the House while still seated in his usual place, read out the terms of the petition, and Mr. Cadogan advanced to the chair and handed the paper to the Speaker. Of the actual petition there was no sign. Major Cohen, however, had a field day outside the House, and the numerous bundles of papers were carried into Westminster Hall by a number of ex-Service men and placed for a time on view.

Civilian Claims.

Members of the House of Commons are asked to sign a memorandum for presentation to the Prime Minister pressing the claims of the civilians who suffered from enemy action during the war. The claims of those who suffered by sea outrages are to be included. A strong committee has been formed to present the memorandum, and includes Mr. Mitchell-Banks, Sir J. Nall, Mr. A. Barnes, Commander Kenworthy, Mr. Basil Peto, Sir C. Kinloch Cooke, Colonel Grant Morden and Mr. March. The Prime Minister will be asked, among other things, to appoint a committee to consider whether compensation should not be a first charge upon money collected by the Reparations Commission after payment for the Army of Occupation and other priority items. It is said that the British Government is alone in its repudiation of its obligations to civilian claimants.

Irish Compensation.

The Committee of the Irish Claims Compensation Association have held a meeting, with Mr. R. Sanders in the chair, to consider the offer of the Government to set up an informal committee to consider cases of hardship to loyalists. The Committee decided to thank Mr. Amery for his offer and intends to have a statement prepared of all cases sent to its office for presentation to the Lords Committee. It invites, therefore, particulars of hardship from any loyalist claimant who has made a claim.

Holiday-Makers' Prospects.

Considerable disquietude was experienced by the holiday-makers who hoped to get away from London next week and the assurances given by a railway representative to-day were very welcome. The companies intend to do their utmost to maintain all essential services, and in the event of a shortage of coal it is unlikely that passenger trains will be affected for a few days. The prospect, in the opinion of the railways, is fairly good. Should the transport workers refuse to handle coal the railway companies will do the best to serve the public in the fairest way possible, but it must necessarily alter the situation.

Motor Cycle Trial.

The route for the six days' motor cycle trial, organised by the Auto-Cycle Union, begins at Southampton on August 17th, and, after passing through Devon, Dorset, South Wales and Gloucestershire, ending at Brooklands on the 22nd. The trial is international in an unusual degree, as the entries include competitors from Holland, Norway, Belgium and Germany. The last-named country will be represented by a team of over twenty riders, and some interest has been aroused as to the features of the machines they will use. Germany has made great efforts to develop the motor cycle trade, and, while some of the machines are almost exact replicas of the best British makes, there are one or two which have incorporated new ideas. The German riders are believed to be an extremely expert team and have been selected after severe eliminating trials.

The Madrid newspapers publish a report from San Sebastian, stating that the frontier guards on Wednesday exchanged shots with a number of smugglers, who were attempting to cross the frontier.

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STATEMENT BY THE MINERS.

Mr. A. J. Cook, the miners' secretary, made the following official statement on behalf of the Miners' Federation when he left Montagu House at midnight at the close of the proceedings:—

"In reference to the statement issued by the Prime Minister to the Press, the miners' officials, on behalf of the Executive, state that no settlement has yet been arrived at, and that a further meeting with the Prime Minister has been arranged for this (Friday) morning at eleven o'clock.

"After the Prime Minister has met the coal-owners, mine-workers will receive instructions from the Federation officials on behalf of the Executive."

APPEAL TO THE MEN.

MR. BALDWIN ON THE NEED FOR READJUSTMENT.

The following official statement was issued from the Labour Ministry during the evening:—

"The Prime Minister, accompanied by Mr. Bridgeman, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, and Colonel Lane Fox had separate meetings to-day at Montagu House with a Committee of the Mining Association and the Executive Committee of the Miners' Federation. To the latter he made the following statement:—

"May I summarise the negotiations as far as they have gone, and state the present position as I see it. The owners' original proposals were, as you know, modified when it came to the detailed offers that have been settled for the districts, but these offers, in a number of cases, did not contain what you regard as essential—namely, a minimum.

"I addressed my mind to this point yesterday when I saw the owners, and, as you know, I succeeded in obtaining from them in their first document the acceptance of the principle of a minimum. This represented the owners' second advance from their original position.

"Later in the day, in their further proposals, the owners made a further offer about throwing into wages the profits made in August. They also, of course, suggested, as an additional means of meeting the difficulties with which the industry is faced, that there should be, temporarily, some relaxation of the Seven Hours Act, in which event considerably better wage terms could be offered.

"Your reply has consistently been that you are unable to accept any conditions that imposed a reduction in wages, and that you are not prepared to discuss any relaxation in regard to hours. At the moment, therefore, the position is that, while I have been able to do something to bring the owners up, you appear to hold the view that there is no change in conditions which you feel able to make as a contribution towards improving the immediate difficulties with which the industry is faced.

"I am prepared, as head of the Government, to do my utmost by way of the establishment of an authoritative inquiry to try to get to the bottom of the economic difficulties of the industry, and to see how far the allegations that are made as to the room for improvement in the industry are well-founded, with a view to putting the industry as quickly as possible into a more healthy condition, in which it can afford a better level of wages, while, at the same time, playing its appropriate part in bringing about the revival of the other industries of the country.

"I told you yesterday, and I must repeat it to-day, that the Government are not prepared to give a subsidy to the industry. I should like you to consider again your position in reference to the point which I have made as to your inability, so far, to indicate a readiness, temporarily, to make a readjustment of conditions as some contribution towards meeting the difficult situation with which the industry is confronted."

The Prime Minister intimated his readiness to meet the Executive Committee of the Federation again as soon as they had any further communication to make to him.

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[Dur]ing the question hour in the House [of Com]mons this afternoon it was evident [that a] statement by the Prime Minister [was ex]pected; for members began to crowd [into th]e Chamber until the number present [was ve]ry considerable. As a quarter to [five d]rew near the gathering at the bar [of the] House grew larger, while anxious [glances] were cast towards the Treasury [Bench.] There was no sign of the Prime [Ministe]r, but Mr. Chamberlain entered [and to]ok a seat in front of the famous [despatc]h box on the table of the House [...] steadily gazing at a sheet of paper [in his] hand. Questions over, Mr. Ramsay [Macdo]nald asked whether a statement [would] be made regarding the coal negotia[tions.] Mr. Chamberlain, reading from his [...] had nothing to report, but said [that th]e Prime Minister would make a [stateme]nt later in the day.

[Mem]bers hurried out into the Lobby to [discuss] the situation, many of them being [of the] opinion that a stoppage was in[evitabl]e. It was generally agreed that the [outlook] was as black as it well could be, [and th]at there seemed small prospect of [avertin]g a great industrial upheaval. The [Labour] members were particularly pessi[mistic] as they grouped themselves together [to exc]hange the latest views with one [another.] One of them repeated a state[ment m]ade outside that "nothing but a [miracle] can save the situation," and the [announ]cement was received with a [shakin]g of heads by the others. Among [Conse]rvatives there was still a glimmer [of hop]e; for it was thought that the [strenu]ous efforts made by the Prime [Ministe]r during yesterday and continued [to-day] must have an effect.

[Wait]ing on the crisis the afternoon and [the e]vening passed away in the House [in an] almost lifeless manner. Members [were u]nable to settle down to anything, [and i]t drifted in and out in a somewhat [aimless] fashion. At a moment when it [seemed] that all hope had been abandoned [the ne]ws ran through the House that [the Pr]ime Minister had sent another [invitati]on to the owners and the miners [to a co]nference during the evening. This [was su]bsequently confirmed by the Chief [Gover]nment Whip in the House of [Commo]ns, when he explained the absence [of a st]atement by the Prime Minister by [saying] that Mr. Baldwin was meeting [the pa]rties to-night.

[...]ery and Ireland.

[Prep]arations are being made in [Governm]ent circles for a strenuous [...]d, and it is improbable that [any m]ember of the Cabinet will leave [...] The visit of Mr. Amery to Dublin [for the] Horse Show is thus placed in [...]y. The Prime Minister will [have] to carry on his efforts to secure [peace] as long as they promise to be [...] In the Lobby this afternoon [...]members expressed admiration re[garding] the tenacity and endurance of [the Pri]me Minister during the past few [days.] Regret was also expressed that his [...] intervention had been so long [...]

[A] moderate section of the Socialist [Party] in the House of Commons is con[siderably] perturbed over the present situa[tion.] Mr. Ramsay Macdonald and his [...] and the Socialist Peers held a [meeting] to-day in a quiet and secluded [Commi]ttee Room tucked away in the [heart] of the Library of the House of [...] Nothing was allowed to leak out [as to th]e purpose of the gathering, but it [is un]derstood that the whole position [and its] possibilities had been under dis[cussion.]

[Ex-]Servicemen's Petition.

[A] great petition from over eight [...] thousand ex-Service men protest[ing ag]ainst modification of the existing [...] rights was not presented to the [House] of Commons in due and ancient [form] to-day. Major Cohen, who is [...] to address the House while still [...] in his usual place, read out the [terms o]f the petition, and Mr. Cadogan [walked] to the chair and handed the [petition] to the Speaker. Of the actual [...] there was no sign. Major Cohen, [howeve]r, had a field day outside the House, [...] numerous bundles of papers were [carried] into Westminster Hall by a [party] of ex-Service men and placed for [public] view.

[...] Claims.

[Mem]bers of the House of Commons are [about] to sign a memorandum for presenta[tion to] the Prime Minister pressing the [claims] of the civilians who suffered from [enemy] action during the war. The claims [of those] who suffered by sea outrages are to [be incl]uded. A strong committee has been [formed] to present the memorandum, and [include]s Mr. Mitchell-Banks, Sir J. Nall, [...] Barnes, Commander Kenworthy, [Sir B]asil Peto, Sir C. Kinloch Cooke, [Sir] Grant Morden and Mr. March. [The P]rime Minister will be asked, among [other] things, to appoint a committee to [conside]r whether compensation should not [be a fi]rst charge upon money collected by [the R]eparations Commission after pay[ment] for the Army of Occupation and [other] priority items. It is said that the [British] Government is alone in its [repudi]ation of its obligations to civilian [claima]nts.

[C]ompensation.

[The C]ommittee of the Irish Claims Com[pensati]on Association have held a meeting, [M]r. R. Sanders in the chair, to [conside]r the offer of the Government to [set up] an informal committee to consider [cases o]f hardship to loyalists. The Com[mittee] decided to thank Mr. Amery for [his offe]r and intends to have a statement [prepare]d of all cases sent to its office for [present]ation to the Lords Committee. It [...] therefore, particulars of hardship [from a]ny loyalist claimant who has made [...]

[Holiday]-Makers' Prospects.

[Cons]iderable disquietude was experi[enced b]y the holiday-makers who hoped to [get aw]ay from London next week and the [assuran]ces given by a railway representa[tive to-]day were very welcome. The com[panies] intend to do their utmost to main[tain] essential services, and in the event [of a sh]ortage of coal it is unlikely that [passeng]er trains will be affected for a few [days.] The prospect, in the opinion of the [...]s, is fairly good. Should the [transpo]rt workers refuse to handle coal the [railway] companies will do the best to serve [the pub]lic in the fairest way possible, but [this may no]t necessarily alter the situation.

[Motor] Cycle Trial.

[The] route for the six days' motor cycle [trial] organised by the Auto-Cycle Union, [starting] at Southampton on August 17th, [will, a]fter passing through Devon, Dorset, [...] Wales and Gloucestershire, ending [at Bro]oklands on the 22nd. The trial is [internat]ional in an unusual degree, as the [entries] include competitors from Holland, [Ital]y, Belgium and Germany. The [last-na]med country will be represented by [a team] of over twenty riders, and some [interest] has been aroused as to the features [of the] machines they will use. Germany [has m]ade great efforts to develop the [motor] cycle trade, and, while some of the [machin]es are almost exact replicas of the British makes, there are one or two [which] have incorporated new ideas. The [Germa]n riders are believed to be an ex[ceptional]ly expert team and have been [selecte]d after severe eliminating trials.

[The] Madrid newspapers publish a report [from S]an Sebastian, stating that the frontier [guards] on Wednesday exchanged shots with a [band o]f smugglers, who were attempting [to cro]ss the frontier.

PREMIER'S OFFER TO THE MINE-OWNERS.

GOVERNMENT PREPARED TO GIVE ASSISTANCE

"A NEW INQUIRY."

SUGGESTED SUSPENSION OF NOTICES FOR A FORTNIGHT.

FURTHER MEETINGS.

THE coal crisis may be settled at the last moment—but the situation is still very grave, and unless wise counsels prevail to-day, when the Prime Minister resumes his meetings with the men and the owners, Britain may be plunged into the biggest industrial dispute in her history. The other Unions—including the railway and the transport men—are backing up the miners in their resistance to the owners' proposals, and will refuse to handle coal after midnight to-night.

Negotiations continued until midnight, and then it was announced that no settlement had been reached, but that Mr. Baldwin was meeting the miners' representatives this morning at eleven o'clock, and would see the owners afterwards.

Just after midnight the following statement was issued by the Ministry of Labour:—

Following upon a meeting of the Cabinet this evening, at which full consideration was given to the whole of the circumstances surrounding the threatened dispute, the Prime Minister had further conversations with the representatives of the miners and the owners.

The miners' representatives explained to the Prime Minister that it was their desire to co-operate in the inquiry proposed by the Prime Minister, with a view to a full investigation into the methods of improving the productive efficiency of the industry for the purpose of increasing its competitive power in world markets.

They intimated that they felt it was not fair to require a reduction of wages with the present cost of living before an attempt had been made, by means of an inquiry, to secure a contribution towards meeting the difficult situation with which the industry was confronted.

The Prime Minister announced that, in the circumstances, the Government were prepared to render assistance to the industry until the spring, by which time the inquiry would be completed.

The Prime Minister requested the coalowners to suspend their notices for a fortnight, in order that the necessary discussions could proceed as to the way in which the temporary assistance could be afforded.

The owners are to meet privately at 10 o'clock this morning to discuss the Prime Minister's suggestion that they should suspend their notices. The object of the early meeting is understood to be that intimation may be sent to the Government as soon as possible if the suggestion is accepted, in order that the news may reach the mining districts promptly.

It was not expected at an early hour this morning that there would be any difficulty in coming to a decision on this point.

While the King is away at Goodwood, Lord Stamfordham, his Private Secretary, is remaining in London. He is keeping in close touch with the situation, and is advising His Majesty of the developments of the position.

"NO SETTLEMENT."

STATEMENT BY THE MINERS.

Mr. A. J. Cook, the miners' secretary, made the following official statement on behalf of the Miners' Federation when he left Montagu House at midnight at the close of the proceedings:—

"In reference to the statement issued by the Prime Minister to the Press, the miners' officials, on behalf of the Executive, state that no settlement has yet been arrived at, and that a further meeting with the Prime Minister has been arranged for this (Friday) morning at eleven o'clock.

"After the Prime Minister has met the coal-owners, mine-workers will receive instructions from the Federation officials on behalf of the Executive."

APPEAL TO THE MEN.

MR. BALDWIN ON THE NEED FOR READJUSTMENT.

The following official statement was issued from the Labour Ministry during the evening:—

"The Prime Minister, accompanied by Mr. Bridgeman, Sir Arthur Steel-Maitland, and Colonel Lane Fox had separate meetings to-day at Montagu House with a Committee of the Mining Association and the Executive Committee of the Miners' Federation. To the latter he made the following statement:—

"May I summarise the negotiations as far as they have gone, and state the present position as I see it. The owners' original proposals were, as you know, modified when it came to the detailed offers that have been settled for the districts, but these offers, in a number of cases, did not contain what you regard as essential—namely, a minimum.

"I addressed my mind to this point yesterday when I saw the owners, and, as you know, I succeeded in obtaining from them in their first document the acceptance of the principle of a minimum. This represented the owners' second advance from their original position.

"Later in the day, in their further proposals, the owners made a further offer about throwing into wages the profits made in August. They also, of course, suggested, as an additional means of meeting the difficulties with which the industry is faced, that there should be, temporarily, some relaxation of the Seven Hours Act, in which event considerably better wage terms could be offered.

"Your reply has consistently been that you are unable to accept any conditions that imposed a reduction in wages, and that you are not prepared to discuss any relaxation in regard to hours. At the moment, therefore, the position is that, while I have been able to do something to bring the owners up, you appear to hold the view that there is no change in conditions which you feel able to make as a contribution towards improving the immediate difficulties with which the industry is faced.

"I am prepared, as head of the Government, to do my utmost by way of the establishment of an authoritative inquiry to try to get to the bottom of the economic difficulties of the industry, and to see how far the allegations that are made as to the room for improvement in the industry are well-founded, with a view to putting the industry as quickly as possible into a more healthy condition, in which it can afford a better level of wages, while, at the same time, playing its appropriate part in bringing about the revival of the other industries of the country.

"I told you yesterday, and I must repeat it to-day, that the Government are not prepared to give a subsidy to the industry. I should like you to consider again your position in reference to the point which I have made as to your inability, so far, to indicate a readiness, temporarily, to make a readjustment of conditions as some contribution towards meeting the difficult situation with which the industry is confronted."

The Prime Minister intimated his readiness to meet the Executive Committee of the Federation again as soon as they had any further communication to make to him.

HOUR BY HOUR.

TIME TABLE OF A CRITICAL DAY.

a.m.
10.0—Premier confers with Mr. Bridgeman and Sir A. Steel-Maitland at 10 Downing street, and later crosses to Labour Ministry.
10.5—Miners arrive and are asked to wait.
11.0—Owners Sub-Committee arrives and is received by Premier.
p.m.
12.10—Owners leave, saying—"Deadlock is complete."
12.30—Miners still waiting to see Premier.
1.20—Mr. Bridgeman and Sir A. Steel-Maitland leave Ministry. Premier receives miners.
1.50—The Miners leave for Central Hall, Westminster, to discuss with the U.C. Special Committee the proposals made by Premier.
1.55—Mr. Baldwin has luncheon at Ministry.
3. 0—Miners attend full Trade Union Conference, attended by 1,000 delegates.
4. 0—Owners at Ministry, in response to urgent message.
4.45—Mr. Baldwin leaves Montagu House by side entrance in taxicab.
5. 0—Owners leave. Report "no progress."
5.15—Mr. Baldwin returns to Montagu House. No statement as to his movements. Has interview with Lord Birkenhead.
5.50—Leaves for House of Commons with Lord Birkenhead, being joined on way by Minister of Labour. All looked serious.
6. 0—Mr. Baldwin holds Cabinet meeting in House of Commons.
6.15—Miners leave Trade Union Congress meeting. Mr. Cook says—"We have finished for to-night. We are standing where we were, and we take Prime Minister's statement as a declaration of war. We are giving our reply to Prime Minister to-night."
9.30—Mr. Eyres-Monsell, Government Chief Whip, in reply to Mr. Ramsay Macdonald, said—"The Prime Minister has instructed me to say that he is not in a position to make any statement to-night on this subject, as he is meeting both parties again to-night."
10. 0—Mr. Baldwin returns to Montagu House, accompanied by Mr. Churchill and Mr. Neville Chamberlain. They were preceded a few minutes earlier by Colonel Lane-Fox, Secretary for Mines.
10. 5—Mr. Smith, President of Miners' Federation, and his Executive, arrived in response to urgent message from Premier.
10.30—Mr. Evan Williams, President of the Owners' Association, accompanied by other prominent coalowners, visited Montagu House, and proceeded to a room which had been allotted to them, near to that in which the Prime Minister was interviewing the miners' leaders.
11.45—Owners leave Montagu House.
12. 0—Miners leave. Mr. Cook says—"No settlement reached."
a.m.
12.15—Official statement issued.

"NO ONE TO BLAME."

The findings of the Court of Inquiry appointed by the Government to examine the coal industry indicate that:

Neither side is to blame for a crisis which is purely economic.

The claim to a minimum wage is justified.

There is room for higher efficiency conducting the industry.

Co-ordination of the mines with other enterprises would be more economical.

Better distribution would result in cheaper coal and, therefore, probably stimulate the demand for it.

The system of paying royalties on the coal raised is a source of ill-feeling.

HELP FOR MINERS.

The National Conference of Trade Union Executive Committees, affiliated to Trades Union Congress, at the meeting at the Central Hall, Westminster, yesterday afternoon, pledged itself to place the whole weight of

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HOUSE-BUILDING GRANTS.

SCHEME FOR DUBLIN.

CITY COMMISSIONERS' PROPOSALS.

At a special meeting of the Commissioners of the County Borough of Dublin, at the City Hall to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock, Commissioner Dr. Dwyer will submit for acceptance a scheme, in pursuance of which assistance will be granted to persons and public utility societies erecting houses under the provisions of the Housing Act, 1925, and in accordance with an Order issued by the Minister for Local Government, entitled "Housing (Local Assistance) Order, 1925."

AMOUNTS OF GRANTS.

Grants (not exceeding the amounts specified) will be made as follow:—

Amount of Grant for House.	House of 3 rooms.	House of 4 rooms.	House of not less than 5 rooms.
Erected by any person for own occupation	£45	£60	£75
Erected by a public utility society for occupation by members	£60	£80	£100

The scheme will also provide for the making of loans, remissions of rates, and leasing of specified sites to public utility societies building houses for their members and to private persons building houses for their own occupation, as well as works of development to be executed by the Commissioners.

Provision will also be made for the remission of rates for persons building houses under the Act for sale or letting.

CORPORATION REPRESTNTATIVES.

The Commissioners will appoint those of their number who are to serve, pursuant to the Order of the Minister for Local Government of the 10th July, 1925, as representatives of the Corporation on the Boards of Governors of the following hospitals:—Jervis street (two), City of Dublin (two), Sir Patrick Dun's (one), Cork street (one), National Maternity Holles street (two); Royal Victoria Eye and Ear (one); National Children's Hospital, Harcourt street (two); Drumcondra (one), Incorporated Dental (two), Meath (one), Skin and Cancer Hospital, Hume street (one); Stillorgan Convalescent Home (two), Cheeverstown Convalescent Home for Little Children (two).

The Commissioners will also fill by the appointment of one of their number the vacancy arising in the membership of each of the following Boards, by reason of the cessation of the office of Lord Mayor, consequent upon the dissolution of the Council:—Dublin Port and Docks Board, Commissioners of Irish Lights, Boards of Governors of Royal Irish Academy of Music, Royal Victoria Eye and Ear Hospital, Hume street Skin and Cancer Hospital, Rotunda Lying-in Hospital, and Coombe Lying-in Hospital.

FAIR DUBLIN CITY.

U.S. NAVAL OFFICER'S IMPRESSIONS.

"I have been struck not alone by the beauty of your country, but also by the beauty of your women," declared Captain Frank T. Evans, of the U.S. Flagship, Pittsburgh, at a dinner given to the officers of that vessel by the General Officer Commanding and officers of the Eastern Command at Collins's Barracks, Dublin, last night.

Prominent people present at the dinner were Mr. Ernest Blythe, Minister of Finance; Mr. P. Hughes, Minister of Defence; the American Consul-General, Dr. Hathaway; Mr. M. Hayes, Speaker of Dail Eireann; Mr. D. Fitzgerald, Minister of External Affairs; Mr. Eamon Duggan, T.D.; and General Mulcahy, T.D.

"Ireland has been very much represented, and, perhaps, occasionally misrepresented, in all parts of the civilised, or semi-civilised, world for hundreds of years," said Captain Evans in responding to the toast of "Our Guests." "Believe me," he said, amidst laughter, "it is necessary for one to see the country before one can venture to give an opinion on it.

"So far as I am concerned, this visit is proving to be a very interesting and delightful one, and my fellow-officers and I appreciate very much the warmth of your welcome and hospitality towards us. I have been struck by the snappy military appearance of your soldiers, and I may say that I have travelled a good deal in the Navy, and have not seen any more soldierly-looking men."

Captain Evans concluded, amidst cheers, by saying that he hoped that their hosts would always try, like their visitors, to range themselves on the side of right.

The toast was proposed by Major-General D. Hogan, the G.O.C. the Eastern Command, who extended a "Cead mille failte" to the guests, and expressed the hope that they would go back to America convinced that Ireland was not altogether as bad as it was painted.

The Minister of Defence associated himself with the toast, which was honoured with enthusiasm, the No. 1 Army Band, under Lieutenant Arthur Duff, playing the "Star Spangled Banner."

POLO MATCH.

BIG CROWD AT PHŒNIX PARK.

There was a very large attendance at the polo match yesterday in the Phœnix Park, arranged by the All-Ireland Polo Club for the entertainment of the officers of the Pittsburgh.

Long before the hour for play a dense crowd of onlookers had gathered at the polo ground. On the members' stand there was a good number of the well-known enthusiasts for the game, as well as a large contingent of our American visitors, who followed the game with keen interest.

Among those present were:—The Governor-General, Miss Healy, and Mrs. Sullivan; Vice-Admiral Andrews, Major Humphries and the officers of the Pittsburgh; the Hon. Mrs. Dewhurst, Lady McLaughlin and Miss McLaughlin, Dr. and Mrs. R. Leeper, Major and Miss Falconer, Mr. W. Fitzgerald and Miss Fitzgerald, Major and Mrs. Kirkwood, Captain Bernard Daly, Mrs. Daly and Miss Daly; Dr. Lane Joynt and Miss Lane Joynt, Mrs. and Miss O'Reilly and Mr. H. O'Reilly, Miss Hamilton, Mr. M. Arnott, Mr. Levins.

ANTHRACITE COAL STRIKE.

ALL QUIET IN AMMAN VALLEY.

Close picketing was in operation in Amman Valley yesterday, and some officials who attempted to go to their duties were turned back. During the rioting on Wednesday night one of the directors of the United Anthracite Combine was returning home in his car when he was stopped by strikers. There were threats to overturn the car, but after some conversation the director was allowed to proceed.

Another delegate meeting was held at Swansea yesterday, as the outcome of a long conference of the Strike Committee at Ammanford on Wednesday, when it was reported that the employers had offered to reinstate the man Wilson, who, it is alleged, had been victimised, and they suggested that the question of seniority rule should be referred to arbitration. The meeting lasted six hours, and at the end an official report stated that it stood adjourned until to-morrow, when a letter from the Miners' Federation of Great Britain, regarding safety men, would receive full consideration. No other decisions were reached.

A Kelso boy, aged eight, on holiday at Cullen, Banffshire, was drowned yesterday, in sight of his mother.

LINEN TRADE SLUMP.

PRICES TOO LOW TO YIELD PROFIT.

DRASTIC CHANGES NEEDED.

THE SAFEGUARDING OF INDUSTRIES ACT.

THE depressed state of the linen industry and the unsatisfactory system on which it is financed were referred to yesterday by Mr. O. B. Graham at the annual meeting in Belfast of the shareholders of the York street Flax Spinning Company, the greatest concern of its kind in the world.

Mr. Graham said that yarns and cloth could not be produced at the prices current in the trade to-day, if regard was to be given to the usual and necessary margins or overhead charges. A prolonged period of such conditions must be fatal to an industry's solvency.

He mentioned that the trade was considering the possibility of securing a better share of the home market through the application of the Safeguarding of Industries Act, and that probably the Government would be approached in the matter at a nearly date.

A GLOOMY OUTLOOK.

NO DIVIDEND ON ORDINARY SHARES.

The York Street Flax Spinning Company, which paid 20s. interim in February last on the £25 Ordinary shares, is not paying a final dividend on the Ordinary capital. To [mee]t the dividends on the two Pref. issues, £50,000 has been transferred from the reserve fund, and £4,000 is carried forward, against £22, 21 brought in. After deducting interest on Debenture stock, the balance of profit for year [endi]ng 30th June is £7,695.

At the meeting in Belfast yesterday the Chairman (Mr. O. B. Graham) pointed out that during the last six months shipments of linen to the United States market had fallen off considerably. The value of the shipments as compared with the first six months of 1924 was—1925, £1,927,246; 1924, £2,549,043. Looking at the "abounding prosperity" of America, it was difficult to understand why linen should have such a poor market in that country.

UNPROFITABLE PRICES.

The home market, though showing only a comparatively small falling-off in the total sales, had been very dull, and business had required constant forcing at unprofitable prices. Continental competition had also been severely felt. The Continental markets which buy from Belfast had taken a fair quantity of goods considering their general condition, but their assets there are chiefly in local currency, and had been unfavourably affected by the recent severe fall in the franc and the lira. General trading conditions had thus been most unfavourable for both turn-over and profit-earning, and internal conditions in the linen trade had not tended to improve matters. It had been a commonplace of linen trade finance for many years past that too much business is done on paper and too little for cash. In other words, the capital invested in the linen trade is not adequate to the turn-over, so that accommodation has to be sought by extending credits, usually on three months' bills. This system may have its merits when business is good and facilities for expansion are desirable, but its inherent weakness is at once revealed in such times of stress as those they were passing through.

BELOW PRODUCTION COSTS.

A bill has to be met on a definite date, or be renewed in whole or in part; if the drawer will not renew, and the bank will not provide the funds, then the acceptor must find the money, and the only way he has of doing that, in ninety-nine cases out of a hundred, is by making forced sales of stock. These depress the level of prices, and buyers naturally hold off from any operations of importance. This is what has been going on in this market for the past few months, until prices have fallen below a point which makes any pretence to represent cost of production. Yarns and cloth cannot be produced at the prices which are current in the trade to-day, if any regard is to be had to the usual and necessary margins for overhead charges, depreciation of plant, etc. An industry may carry on for a short time under such conditions, but any prolonged period must be fatal to its solvency. It is to be hoped that some effort will be made within the linen trade itself to reform the present very unsatisfactory conditions of credit and trading, and to make it less easy to speculate in goods which have afterwards to be sacrificed if a period of dull trade supervenes. The general position was not cheerful. The recent total linen consumption of the world is much less than the producing power of the trade.

PROTECTION.

This means that unless there is an increase in its consumption, towards which cheaper flax and consequent cheaper selling prices in general would materially contribute, there will be a considerable permanent proportion of the spindles, looms, bleachworks, and other plant in the trade not fully employed. The attention of the trade is at present turned to the possibility of securing a better share of the important home market under the Safeguarding of Industries Act, and it is expected that an application will shortly be made to the Government in this connection.

BELFAST LINEN TRADE.

The following is the official report of the Irish Linen Society for the fortnight ending 29th July, 1925:—

Flax.—There is nothing new to report with reference to the new Irish crop. Any small lots of flax on hands are being bought up at unchanged prices. On the Continent the bulk of the new crop is saved and reports are fairly satisfactory. There is a fair demand for good flax, but selection is very difficult owing to supplies being small, as scutching is stopped to enable workers to save the crops. Latvian—The entire Government stock of flax is now stated to about 750 tons, mostly Schwaneburg. Supplies are almost nil, and, although peasants hold some stocks, it is thought these will not be brought in until the new crop comes along. Prices are nominally the same, but the sharp rise has checked business. The new crop is doing very much better now. Esthonian—Supplies are trifling and holders are very stiff. The total crop has turned out much less than expected. The weather is now nice and warm, so that the young plant is making splendid progress. Soviet—The co-operative societies are all pretty well cleared out, although speculators still hold moderate stocks. Little business being done at the big advance. Crop news here also favourable.

Yarns.—A quiet market is still to be reported, with practically no change in values. In some departments more business has been forthcoming. Buyers are showing more confidence. Tow prices are slightly better, and this has been greatly aided by the stoppage of numerous spindles usually running on these yarns. Yarns for cambrics have moved to some extent. Continental spinners are firmer in their ideas.

Weavers.—More business has been placed since the holidays, and manufacturers take a cheerier view of the situation. Our salesmen go out from now on to the United States, and they are all imbued with the belief that the market has touched bottom; indeed, some of them hold the opinion that the present rates for merchandise are unduly low. It would appear that all conditions of the trade tend towards a gradual improvement.

Merchants.—As is usual during summer sales and holiday season, the home demand is quiet. Export trade is of a sorting-up nature. Quotations are unchanged at figures which show no profit on present costs. A considerable quantity of damask has been sold, and large inquiries for creased damasks are in the market.

Dress Linens.—Market conditions are decidedly better, and stocks of coloured linens have been considerably reduced. White and oyster shades are in short supply, these colours having been in good demand. Some orders have recently been arranged for coloured goods of a finer and better quality than the coarse weaves which have been popular for some time past. The amount of new business placed for linen suitings is encouraging, and interest in these goods is well maintained.

COSSACKS' CAMP IN DUBLIN.

PICTURESQUE HORSEMEN AT LANSDOWNE ROAD.

SOME NOTABLE SOLDIERS.

A company of two hundred Cossacks, who are to appear at Lansdowne road, arrived in Dublin last evening. They crossed from London—where they have just concluded their exhibition—by the mail boat Hibernia, and went direct to Lansdowne road by special train.

Dublin is the third city in the world to receive an exhibition visit from these wonderful horsemen. They were first organised to perform at Paris only, but the show was so successful there that it was decided to visit the Olympia, London. A world tour was then decided upon.

All next week they will perform each evening at Lansdowne road Football Grounds, behind which they are encamped in a number of large marquees.

Resplendent in the gay harmonious colours of their old-world national costume, they presented a martial and inspiring spectacle on their camping ground. They looked what they are—born horsemen and daring soldiers. In their thin-soled Russian leather riding boots, they looked grotesquely out of place walking about. Their multi-coloured dress—long frock-like coats, buttoned to the neck and open from the waist down in front and behind to facilitate riding; riding breeches, wide waistbands (for holding a short sword), a Russian cap of moufflon, and top boots—made them striking and picturesque figures.

Besides the short sword, the Cossacks usually carry a couple of pistols stuck in their waistband. Their rifles they sling over their shoulders, with the cartridges in a row of little pockets on either breast of the long coats.

Besides the exhibition of reckless, daredevil acrobatic horsemanship, there will be performances by a skilled troupe of Cossack dancers. A choir of nearly one hundred will render some of the best-known Russian folk songs, including the famous "Volga Boat Song." The harmony, power and *timbre* of their voices have been praised in both Paris and London.

The Cossacks ride, as well as dance, to music, and for this purpose a fine brass band of thirty instrumentalists will be playing continuously. This band is part of the old Russian Army band. There will also be a native Cossack orchestra, composed of instruments resembling an outsized mandoline and large accordion.

Among the company there are some men who were well-known figures in Court life during the *régime* of the late Tsar. These include Count Tolstoy, grandson of the famous Russian author and novelist; Colonel Gamalee, who was awarded the M.C. in 1916, but which he did not receive till this week in London; General Malichenko, former Chief of the Tsar's Eastern Army and Master of his Horse; General Savitsky, O.C. of the Russian Grand Army; Colonel Seydeler, Chief of Staff of Wrangel's White Army, and Captain Sava Panessenko, who received thirty wounds in the Great War.

One hundred Cossack ponies will arrive this evening at the North Wall, Dublin, by a special boat. The grounds will be specially illuminated for the evening performance.

COUNTY COUNCIL AND THE STRIKE.

SUGGESTED GOVERNMENT INTERVENTION.

At the meeting of the Dublin County Council yesterday, Mr. Belton moved the suspension of Standing Orders in order that the Council might call on the Government to intervene in the Dublin coal strike, and bring it to an end at once. He proposed that a deputation from the Council should wait upon President Cosgrave and Mr. McGilligan.

The Chairman (Mr. McCabe)—Is it the pleasure of the Council that Standing Orders be suspended?

Mr. Belton—You cannot buy a bag of coal in Dublin to-day. Agriculture is seriously affected by this strike.

The Chairman—Do you think that the Government are not perfectly alive to the position of affairs?

Mr. J. P. McCabe—Who is responsible for this state of affairs? Is it not the two unions which are at each other's throats?

The Chairman—We are powerless in the matter, much as we would like to bring it to an end.

Mr. Belton—Hundreds of tons of foodstuff are coming into Dublin, and it cannot be sold because people have not the coal. We want to get at the cause of the trouble. You expect rates from us, yet you will do nothing.

The Chairman—You are not living in the moon, and you know what has happened.

Mr. J. P. McCabe—Between the two unions the merchants did not know where they were, and they decided to bring this matter to an end, and see which was going to be top dog.

The motion to suspend Standing Orders was lost, and the discussion came to an end.

IRELAND'S PROSPERITY

STATEMENT AT NATIONAL BANK MEETING.

Speaking at the meeting of the National Bank in Dublin yesterday, when a dividend of 14 per cent. per annum was declared, the Chairman, Mr. J. B. Mears, C.B., said that the resumption of the gold standard in Great Britain showed what prudent and constitutional finance could accomplish. He hoped that this example, which pointed the way to the stabilising of the exchanges, would be followed by other countries, and thus solve the unsatisfactory conditions prevailing on the Continent.

Trade conditions in England were not satisfactory, and affected the Free State because of the large export trade carried on. The Free State Executive was devoting its energies to reorganisation of the export trade, particularly of agricultural export, and was thus laying the foundation of the future prosperity of the country.

(A full report appears on another Page.)

PARIS BANK STRIKE.

PROCESSIONS BROKEN UP BY POLICE.

PARIS, Thursday.

The employés of the Credit Lyonnaise, who have followed the lead of those of the Banque Nationale de Credit in striking for an increase of 100 francs monthly—the management are only offering an increase of 45 francs—marched in a procession this afternoon from the Labour Exchange to the Rue le Pelletier, where the head office of the Banque Nationale de Credit is situated.

On the way they met a barrage of police, who broke up the procession. The latter, however, reformed and marched towards the head office of the Credit Lyonnaise, but they again collided with police, and were dispersed. No bones were broken, however.

M. Caillaux has promised to receive representatives of the bank employés this evening. Besides the staffs of the above-mentioned banks, the employés of the Credit Du Nord and of the Banque Prive have also come out on strike. The employés of the Comptoir d'Escompte met this evening, and it was decided to declare a strike as from to-morrow morning.

LATE TSAR'S JEWELLED CANE.

IRISH TIMES FOREIGN SERVICE.
FROM OUR OWN CORRESPONDENT.
PARIS, Thursday.

A walking stick of malacca, with lapis lazuli and diamond ornamented handle, once the property of Tsar Nicholas II., was the chief evidence which led to the conviction and sentence to six months' imprisonment of a Paris charwoman yesterday.

The stick was given some years ago by the Tsar to a Russian Grand Duke, who was residing in Paris. By some obscure chain of events, it got into the possession of a Madame Gremy, who prized it as the gem of her historical curios collection. It disappeared, however, one day, and turned up again at the Mont De Piete, the official French "uncle." The charwoman was the culprit.

LATE NEWS.

COAL SITUATION.

HOW TO PREVENT A STOPPAGE.

The Times, in a leading article, says:—The Secretary of the Mining Association is reported to have said yesterday that "only a miracle" could prevent the stoppage to-morrow. He meant, no doubt, that there is no change of mind, for it is quite possible to prevent the stoppage if the people concerned choose to do so. The question is whether that alternative is preferable in the long run—that is more beneficial to the mining industry and to the whole country. The first step necessary is suspension of the notices. That is obvious, because if they run out the thing is settled and the stoppage begins automatically. It is for the owners to take this step; but they cannot be asked or expected to do it unconditionally, because it would mean continuing to carry on the industry at a loss. It has always been understood that a condition precedent to such a move should be some guarantee by the Government against loss during the subsequent period of reorganisation, which is a matter for Parliament. The Government, on the one hand, have made no such offer; and the Mining Association, on the other hand, has given them no opening for doing so; but it may be done to-day. If the owners will withdraw the notices on this condition, and the Miners' Federation will consent to return to resume negotiations, or to take part in a more extended inquiry into the state of the industry, which the Prime Minister indicated to be his intention, then the decision lies with the Government and Parliament whether the immediate crisis is resolved or not. It can be done. Are the objections to it so overwhelming that the alternative of conflict is preferable?

The objections are real and are not denied, but do they outweigh the objections to a general coal strike—or lock-out, if that term is preferred—with all its consequences? There are three main objections. The first is the perfectly sound view that anything in the nature of financial aid fr[om] the Government, however limited and temporary, is "uneconomic," but is it more uneconomic, in fact, than the complete cessation of a great industry entailing the cessation of most others. The second objection is that if one distressed industry receives it, all others in a similar state can and will claim it. This argument is much stronger than the first, but there is an answer to it. The coal industry is different from the others. It is much more vital to the nation both industrially and domestically, and the object of temporarily assisting it would not be to place it on an artificial footing, but, on the contrary, solely to gain time to restore it to health by a thorough overhauling and reorganisation which the Court of Inquiry plainly thinks necessary and feasible. Assistance would be confined to mines that really need it and are worth preserving, and would be limited strictly to the period of inquiry and reconstruction.

The third objection is that if the struggle is put off now the trouble will recur later as soon as the Government assistance is dropped and the battle probably have to be fought in worse circumstances. This assumption is answered by the preceding consideration, that much can be done to put the industry in a healthy state by other means than lower wages and longer hours. Of course, the owners do not think so, but they are not the best judges where their own management is called in question.

FRENCH TRAIN WRECK.

SIXTEEN PERSONS KILLED.

Sixteen persons were killed and several others were injured in an accident to a train running from Le Maur to Tours on Wednesday night.

The engine left the rails, and four coaches immediately behind overturned into a ditch at a siding. The fifth coach and the guard's van remained intact.

The injured were immediately rushed off to the hospitals in Tours, while the bodies of the dead were laid in the waiting room of the station.

There were no foreigners among the victims.

It seems that the train was late, and, trying to make up time, was running at a speed of over 90 kilometres an hour at a point where it should not have exceeded 30.

FLOWERS AT DUBLIN HORSE SHOW.

ROYAL HORTICULTURAL SOCIETY'S DISPLAY.

After several years' absence, the Summer Show of the Royal Horticultural Society of Ireland is to form one of the attractions at the Dublin Horse Show. It will be open to the public from Wednesday next till Friday, between the hours of two o'clock and six p.m.

The whole of the Sandymount Hall, the new name for the spacious building at Simmonscourt road, has been given over to the flower, fruit and vegetable show; but the entries are so numerous that it will be difficult to accommodate them all. The display by professional florists is expected to be about the finest of its kind ever seen in Dublin.

The competition in the rose department promises to be exceptionally keen. Although the first flush of blooms is over, and the second growth is only arriving, the number of roses on view will be very great. There is a huge entry of sweet peas, for one class of which there is a first prize of £5. The gladioli also will be a strong section.

As was to be expected, with such a bad season, the show of fruit will be hardly up to standard, but Irish vegetable products will be seen at their best. The owner of the champion collection in this department will be awarded £5. Fifteen experts will act as judges at what should be a great revival in the life of this old and useful organisation.

The Society was founded in 1830, on a foundation laid many years before by the Huguenot residents of Dublin, who held flower shows at the Rose Tavern, in Drumcondra lane, now Dorset street. From 1838 to 1894 three Dukes of Leinster have acted as successive Presidents of the Show. The first of these, Augustus Frederick, held the position from his coming of age in 1838 to his death in 1875, and he was no mere figure-head. During his tenure of office the Dublin flower shows were the big social events of the year—reunions at which the ladies always displayed their newest dress. Although the membership was limited, the Society was able, from the gate receipts, to hold five shows in the year—sometimes in Earlsfort terrace, but more frequently in the Rotunda Gardens. It is on record that at one spring show at the latter place in the fifties the takings for one afternoon amounted to £600.

For some years after the death of the third Duke of Leinster the show declined, but with the appointment of Mr. E. Knowldin to the Secretaryship, in 1908, it was revitalised, and it continued with increasing strength until the outbreak of the Great War, which threw back the work of years. Now the show is on its feet again, at a time when the migration of citizens into the suburbs has made flower and vegetable growers of hundreds for the tens to whom gardening in the past was an expensive hobby. It is well that the beauty of such an exhibition should be added to the other attractions of the Horse Show.

FRENCH DAVIS CUP TEAM

SAILING FOR AMERICA.

PARIS, July 30.

The French Davis Cup team, composed of Lacoste, Borotra, and Brugnon, under the direction of Max Decaugis, is leaving for America within the next fortnight. Borotra is due to leave to-day, preceding the other members of the team, who have arranged to sail on August 12th aboard the Majestic.

If, as appears probable, the French team will be faced with Australia as the finalist of the Pacific zone, it is considered here that the French have a good chance of reversing last year's result, when they were defeated by Australia by a narrow margin.

THE DEMAND OF LABOUR.

WORK OR SUPPORT BY STATE.

NEWRY CONGRESS.

"PRESSURE" ON TWO GOVERNMENTS.

NO fewer than thirty-five resolutions have been tabled for discussion at the annual delegate Congress of the Irish Labour Party and Trade Union Congress, which will be held at Newry on Monday, Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday of next week.

The first resolution on the agenda is one of the most important. It calls upon the two Irish Governments "to promote immediately legislation which will provide either work under trade union conditions or maintenance at full trade union rates for all the workers of the country."

The resolution suggests that the incoming executive shall bring "pressure" to bear upon the responsible authorities, and that there shall be close co-operation between the Labour members of the Oireachtas and the Northern Parliament in the matter.

It may be recalled in this connection that shortly before the Dail adjourned Mr. John Good suggested a conference between Capital and Labour on the unemployment question, and that President Cosgrave gave the proposal his support. Labour's attitude towards it will be decided by the Congress.

The second resolution, which will be proposed by a Sligo delegate, contains an instruction to the Labour Party in the Dail to pursue "a vigorous line of opposition even to the extent of using obstructionist tactics" against measures which are not designed in the interests of the common people "until the Government provides work or maintenance."

HOUSING.

The Irish Women Workers' Union will invite Congress to "protest with indignation against the failure of the Government to make the housing of the workers the primary object of their social programme," and to demand the establishment of a National Housing Council, and the framing of a definite and continuous programme for the building of working-class houses over a prolonged period.

In view of the high cost of living, "mainly attributable to profiteering," a resolution will be submitted asking the Government to organise and maintain a central purchasing and distributing organisation. There will be a demand for the restoration of the old age pension to 10s. a week, and that it shall be made payable to all persons over 70 years of age whose income is less than £1 per week. An amendment will ask to have the age changed to 65 year.

The National Union of Railwaymen will ask for the nationalisation of railways.

The Irish Women Workers' Union will ask to have the school-leaving age raised from 14 to 15 years at once, and subsequently to 16 years.

A demand will be made that in the assessment of income tax the personal allowance in the case of earned incomes be raised to £240 for unmarried wage-earners, with a *pro rata* increased allowance in respect of dependents.

ANNUAL REPORT.

The annual report refers to the industrial and agricultural depression and long-continued unemployment, and it states that the National Executive felt that the chronic unemployment which had afflicted the workers of the country for so long had not "aroused the conscience of the general public," and had not provoked the indignant protest which might have been expected from the unemployed, and that, consequently, some share of the responsibility for the Government's inaction must be borne by the workers themselves.

At its meeting in September the National Executive decided that the Secretary should make a tour in Northern Ireland for the purpose of consulting representative trade unionists in Belfast, Derry, and Newry respecting a proposal to call a conference in Belfast to discuss the Labour attitude on the boundary and the relations between the Congress and the Labour Party (Northern Ireland).

The Secretary visited several Northern towns, and subsequently submitted proposals for consideration as a basis of a friendly solution of the Boundary problem, with a view to their submission first to representatives of the Labour Party (Northern Ireland). The statement recommended "that the provisions of the Treaty regarding the establishment of a Council of Ireland should be given effect to—*i.e.*, that the Council provided for in Article 12 of the Treaty should be appointed with authority in respect to railways, fisheries and contagious diseases of animals in the Northern area, thus establishing an All-Ireland Government for these services; but that an agreement between the various parti[es] and interests, North and South, should be striven for in regard to the future powers and constitution of the Council of Ireland."

"We believe that the most satisfactory method of dealing with the problem will be to set up a Council representative rather of economic interests, which do not divide according to geographical areas, than of territorial constituencies. Such a Council should be genuinely representative of the people engaged in the various industries, and should have power to promote legislation affecting agriculture, commerce and industry in either Parliament, and the right to exercise a suspensory veto over all such legislation emanating from either Parliament."

The proposals were communicated to the Secretary of the Northern Ireland Labour Party, who was invited to arrange for two or three members of his organisation to come to Dublin to discuss the matter. The party in the North were engaged with other matters, and the proposed consultation between the two organisations had thus not taken place.

EDUCATION.

A long report is furnished by the Committee appointed to discuss and report on the aim of a national system of education, and how the aim might best be realised. It recommends that the Department of Education should be in charge of a Minister, who would not be a member of the Executive Council, and that the Minister should be assisted by a Council of Education, consisting of two-thirds of persons elected by those engaged in the work of education in all its branches and one-third to be nominated by the Dail and Senate. The Council's functions would include the issue of diplomas and certificates to those engaged, or wishing to be engaged, in educational services.

It is suggested also that an educational authority should be set up in every

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county and county borough to provide school accommodation, books, equipment, conveyance of children to school, school meals, medical and dental treatment of school children, care of afflicted children, University and other scholarships, and the taking over of the present powers and duties of County Technical Committees.

BROAD HIGHWAY.

The Committee suggests that the expenses of carrying out the duties devolving on the county education authorities should be borne by the rates where grants are not available for these expenses; that all children should receive education up to the age of 16; that a broad highway should be provided for all children right through the University; that no child should be prevented from taking the fullest advantage of the education provided by the State by the social standing or wealth of his parents; that hygienic school buildings should be provided, with teachers' residences attached; that the rates of teachers to pupils should be as one is to 32; that a scheme for the training of teachers should be organised in connection with the Universities; that the salaries of all classes of teachers should be put on a satisfactory basis, and that teachers should be guaranteed security of tenure, and that pensions be on Civil Service lines.

It is further suggested that a branch of the Local Government and Public Health Department be set up to deal with the health of school children; that the programme of all school be bilingual, and that in rural areas they be given a rural bias; that the courses of the University be brought into closer touch with the life of the nation, and that opportunities be provided for working people and their children to take advantage of these courses.

NORTHERN PRISONERS IN SCOTLAND.

END OF HUNGER STRIKE.

Mr. Lansbury, in the House of Commons yesterday, asked the Secretary for Scotland whether he was aware that Felix O'Byrne and Seumas O'Reilly, at present imprisoned in Peterhead Prison, went on hunger strike on June 28, and that other prisoners, including Thomas McShea and Seumas Monaghan, have been on hunger strike in sympathy with these men; would he inform the House whether any of these prisoners had been forcibly fed, what was the present state of their health, and would he state the number of prisoners still detained in Peterhead Prison, or any other Scottish prison, for, and on behalf of, either the Northern Government of Ireland or the Free State Government.

Sir John Gilmour—O'Byrne and Reilly went on hunger strike on June 27, Monaghan on June 29, and McShea on July 1. These prisoners were forcibly fed from and after various dates in July. All four ceased their hunger strike on July 24, and are at present taking food. Their health is reported to be good, and they are expected to be back at work in a few days. Thirty-three prisoners are at present detained in Scottish prisons on behalf of the Government of Northern Ireland, and none on behalf of the Irish Free State Government.

Mr. Buchanan—Is it right that these thirty-three should be differently treated from other prisoners in Scotland, and will the Secretary for Scotland see that in matters of visitation their position is made equal?

Mr. Boothby—Is it a fact that the Government of Northern Ireland does not possess a convict prison?

Sir John Gilmour—I understand that the accommodation in Ireland is not sufficient. With regard to Mr. Buchanan's question, I do not believe that he is correct in saying that these men are differently treated from other prisoners.

Captain Wedgwood-Benn—As the Free State has issued an amnesty to all its prisoners, will the right hon. gentleman ask the Northern Government if they will do so also?

The Speaker at this point intervened, and the next question was called.

COMMISSIONERS OF EDUCATION.

THEIR FINAL REPORT.

The report of the Commissioners of Education for the year 1924 has just been issued. It is pointed out that this is the final report of the Commissioners, since, in view of the transference of their functions to the Minister for Education, their activities, which have continued for nearly one hundred and twelve years, must now necessarily cease. A high tribute is paid to the service rendered by Mr. Stanislaus Murphy, Secretary to the Commission.

As compared with the previous year, the income proper for 1924 showed a reduction of £1,015, and the expenditure a reduction of £1,817, both reductions being mainly the result of the transfer of certain endowments to the Government of Northern Ireland.

The amount allocated to the five local boards under the Ulster Royal School endowments was £1,555 11s. 10d. The gross income of the Preston endowment was £1,232 2s. 6d. After provision had been made for necessary outgoings, the residue, together with the balance brought forward from the previous year, was allocated to the accounts of schools in Oxmantown, Navan, and Abbeyleix. The amount paid to the local board under the Preston School, Navan, endowment was £382 9s. 7d.

In connection with the Preston School, Abbeyleix, endowment £420 4s. 7d. was paid to the local board, while £224 10s. 9d. was distributed between the Leamy local boards of education, under the Leamy endowment. Sums distributed under the remaining endowments were:—Viscount Limerick endowment, £63 6s. 4d.; banks' endowment, Eyrecourt (for the teaching of sewing and the provision of prizes for good attendance, etc.), £21 16s. 11d. Diocesan Schools and Banagher Royal School endowment, £156; and Carysfort endowment, £72 9s. 6d.

TURF ON CANAL BANK.

TENANT PREVENTED FROM SELLING IT.

At Naas Circuit Court yesterday, Judge Doyle refused an application to annul a precept preventing Mrs. Mary Anne O'Donnell, a lock-keeper employed by the Great Southern Railways Company, from cutting turf on the lands adjoining the Grand Canal at Cappagh, Kilcock, Co. Kildare.

It appeared that in 1869 a plot of land adjoining the canal was let to John O'Donnell for a term of sixty-one years. There was valuable turbary on the holding, and Mrs. O'Donnell claimed that she had the right to cut the turf and to sell it. The company maintained that she had no right to do so, and that the cutting of the turf was "a positive danger to the canal banks." Mrs. O'Donnell denied that there was any danger to the banks, and said that she had sold boatloads of turf to the railway company.

DELAY IN TRANSIT.

FOUR POINTS FOR IRISH TRADERS.

The General Committee of the Dublin Mercantile Association, Ltd., had before it yesterday a communication from the Railway Clearing House, London, with regard to the delay in the transit of goods from Great Britain and Northern Ireland to the Free State.

The document suggested to Irish traders that many of the delays which occur in the transit of goods to Ireland and in the Irish Customs might be prevented if the merchants would instruct their correspondents in England to hand to the forwarding company the original invoice with the form of declaration (or specification in the case of traffic forwarded from Northern Ireland), so that it may be available for the purpose of assessing Customs duty by the Revenue officers at the ports of entry or inland Customs stations.

Stress is laid upon the following points:—(1) The grouping of goods of a like nature together in packages; (2) correct numbering of cases to correspond with number on invoice; (3) the separation of dutiable goods from non-dutiable goods on invoice; (4) correct endorsement of all invoices—*e.g.*, "carriage paid," the prices, etc.; "carriage forward," the prices, etc.

PREVENTIVE MEN (CUSTOMS).
Limited Competition announced for 15th September. During 1924, 40 Successes at Customs Examinations were gained by Students of SKERRY'S COLLEGE, 76 St. Stephen's Green, Dublin. Oral and Correspondence Classes now working.—(Advt.)

FINANCES OF CO. CORK.

LAND PURCHASE ARREARS PROBLEM.

MINISTRY'S LETTER.

The financial position of the Cork County Council was again under discussion at a meeting of that body yesterday.

Mr. Barry said that at the last meeting he asked the Secretary a question regarding cheques that had been made payable to the relieving officer in the Charleville district. The poor people in Charleville, who depended for their maintenance on outdoor relief, had not been paid anything for five weeks before that, and hardship was really so acute that he approached the relieving officer, who told him that he was nervous about getting cheques cashed, fearing lest they would be returned again. Mr. Barry mentioned that a cheque for £90, issued by the North Cork Board of Health, had been returned, and that two others had been returned marked "no funds." It was too bad that such a thing should occur.

The Secretary said that he knew nothing about any cheques that were issued by Boards of Health. North Cork Board of Health had instructions not to issue any paying order that would be dishonoured. Relief cheques had never been dishonoured, and when he heard that they were likely to be dishonoured he communicated with the bank manager, who told him he had orders not to pay anything that would form a debit. He also heard that instructions had been sent from the head office to the manager to cash cheques. Paying orders were being passed at that meeting which would put all those accounts in funds, and that would enable every cheque to be met, and the question was not likely to arise again.

THE 1914 STANDARD.

The Secretary read a letter from the Ministry for Local Government, in reply to a communication sent by the Chairman and the Vice-Chairman relative to the earlier payment of grants. The letter pointed out that in Cork County the receipts for the year ended March 1st, 1914, from rates and Government grants were £349,093, and the expenditure on all services in the same period, including advances to subsidiary bodies, was £341,665. At that time approximately 98 per cent. of the rate collection of the whole of Ireland was lodged before 31st March, and local bodies as a rule benefited thereby by securing bank interest on their credit balances. It should be the aim of the County Council to secure by gradual steps a return to that position.

"As regards the general question of local taxation grants and their hypothecation to the guarantee fund under the Land Purchase Acts, the Minister is unable to subscribe to the view that the Government should make provision for the deficiency in land purchase funds arising out of non-payment of land purchase annuities. It is generally assumed that such moneys as do not reach the local authority in the form of local taxation grants are retained in the guarantee fund as security for the payment of land purchase annuities. Such a view of the position is not justified.

GOVERNMENT'S ONLY COURSE.

"Land purchase annuities are fixed at amounts which suffice to pay the half-yearly charges for rentals and sinking fund arising out of the issue of Land Stock. The Government, on their side, have to meet these half-yearly charges for interest and sinking fund as they fall due, and when land purchase annuitants have not met their obligations such payments can only be made by withdrawing from the guarantee fund the proportion of local taxation grants paid thereto. These grants are, in effect, applied to purposes for which land purchase annuities, if received, would have been applied, and it is not, therefore, possible for the Government to arrange for any payment to the Council on foot of these grants until the annuities in arrear have been fully paid.

"Under the statutory regulations relating to land purchase, each county is required to bear any default on the part of land purchase annuitants in the county. To propose that such default should be met by the Government out of their own funds would be to cast the burden on the taxpayers in the populous areas, such as county boroughs, where there are no land purchase annuities payable, and even under such an arrangement it would follow that taxpayers in Cork County would have to bear a proportion of the total deficit. It will be recognised, therefore, that the present method of providing for arrears of annuities is the more equitable.

THE RIGHT WAY.

"Annuitants in arrear in Cork County are, as occupiers of property in the county, liable for the payment of Poor Rate levied by the county council, and if the council make it clear to their constituents that default in payment of land purchase annuities affects the financial position of the county and involves higher rate charges, such a course of action would materially assist in reducing the extent of the arrears at present outstanding, and act as a stimulus to purchase annuitants to pay promptly their instalments as they fall due in future.

"When such a position is reached, the county can then reasonably count not only upon the punctual receipt of their full income from the local taxation grants, but also upon their share of the grants which were temporarily applied to meeting the half-yearly interest charges in respect of Land Stock."

The matter was referred to a sub-committee.

JURISDICTION OF THE CIRCUIT COURT.

QUESTION OF APPOINTING A COMMISSION.

An important decision was given by Judge Pigot, K.C., in the Dublin Circuit Court yesterday in reference to a question of the jurisdiction of the Circuit Court.

An application was made for the appointment of a Commissioner to take evidence in an action in which Miss Rosalind M. de Cadiz, Kingstown, is the plaintiff, and T. Gillman Moorhead, M.D., the defendant. The plaintiff claims £300 for alleged assault and battery.

Mr. James Cawley (instructed by Messrs. Fullerton and Doyle), for the plaintiff, read the affidavit of Miss Cadiz, in which she stated that, while a patient in Monkstown Hospital in October of last year, she was assaulted by the plaintiff and seriously injured. Since then she had been confined to her home and unable to leave bed, and the condition of her health was such that she would not be able to attend Court to prosecute the action. The hearing of the action had been adjourned till October on the application of Dr. Moorhead, and she was afraid that at that time she would not be alive. She was advised that she was an essential witness, and she asked for an order that her evidence be taken on commission.

Dr. William Rountree, Kingstown, in an affidavit, stated that he had been attending the plaintiff. She was suffering from injury to the spine, and it would be dangerous for her to attend Court at present. He had no hope that she would be in a position to attend in October.

Continuing, Mr. Cawley said that the affidavits made an unanswerable case for the taking of the plaintiff's evidence on commission. The jurisdiction of the Court, he said, in the absence of the new rules, to appoint such a commission was clear under the Courts of Justice Act, 1924. Counsel relied on Sections 51 and 22 of the Act, and argued that, as the Act had transferred to and vested in the Circuit Court certain jurisdiction, formerly exercisable only by the High Court, the right to have the evidence taken on commission was part of that jurisdiction.

Mr. M. Walker (instructed by Messrs. Baker, Ringwood and Gordon), for the defendant, opposed the application. He contended that even if the facts of the case warranted the appointment of a commissioner, the Court had no jurisdiction to do so. The defendant denied that he ever assaulted the plaintiff, and but for his absence in America there would be an affidavit before the Court.

Judge Pigot said that the application raised an important point as to the jurisdiction of that Court. Certain jurisdiction had been transferred expressly to the Circuit Courts by the Courts of Justice Act. These powers were set out in the Act itself, and he could not accept the contention, which seemed to be advanced by Mr. Cawley, that there was an inherent jurisdiction and power in the Circuit Court itself, apart from that which was conferred on it by statute. In his view there was no power to appoint such a commission, and he dismissed the application.

COAL CRISIS.

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the trade union movement at the disposal of the Special Committee in defence of the miners' standards.

The Conference unanimously endorsed the demand of the Special Committee for the withdrawal of notices and of the mine owners' proposals.

The Conference empowered the Special Committee to provide financial support for those immediately engaged in the dispute.

Following the decision of the Transport and Railway Unions to place an embargo on the movement of coal, the following instructions were issued under the authority of the Special Committee to trade unions:—

RAILWAYS.

1—Wagons containing coal must not be attached to any train after midnight on Friday, and wagons of coal must not be supplied to any industrial or commercial concern, or be put on the tip roads and docks for the coaling of ships.

2—All coal *en route* at midnight on Friday to be worked forward to the next siding suitable for storing it.

3—Any coal either in wagons or stock at a depôt may be utilised at that depôt for the purpose of coaling engines for passenger and goods trains, but must not be moved from the depôt to another, or docks, wharves, etc.

COAL EXPORTS.

All tippers and trimmers will cease work at the end of the second shift on July 31st.

IMPORTS.

On no account may imported coal be handled from July 31st.

WATERWAYS AND DOCKS.

The men on canals, waterways, etc., engaged in carrying coal will cease on Friday midnight, with the exception of those with coal *en route*, who will be allowed to take it to their destination.

SAFETY MEN.

Safety men for pumping, etc., will be permitted for safety purposes only.

ROAD TRANSPORT.

All men engaged in delivering coal to commercial and industrial concerns will cease on Friday night. Men delivering for domestic purposes will cease at 12 noon on Saturday, August 1st.

LOCAL COMMITTEES.

For the purpose of carrying out these instructions, members of the organisations who are concerned shall throughout each district establish small special committees so as to co-ordinate policy and give effect to the same.

IMPERIAL PARLIAMENT.

PENSIONS BILL.

EXTENDED BENEFITS CLAUSE.

FROM OUR PARLIAMENTARY CORRESPONDENT.

WESTMINSTER, Thursday.

The House was in an exceedingly sensitive mood this evening. All minds were concerned with the negotiations on the coal crisis. At the close of questions, Mr. Austen Chamberlain had expressed, on behalf of the Prime Minister, a hope that a statement on the situation would be made sometime during the evening, but at that time the indications were that a deadlock had been reached. As a consequence the debate on the Insurance Bill was carried on in somewhat strained conditions, and the natural anxiety as to the outcome of the negotiations was only increased by the occasional appearance of the Prime Minister, who looked in for a few moments and then disappeared.

The main discussion on the Bill before the House took place on an amendment by Mr. Compton, to omit the clause which gives the Minister discretionary powers in regard to extended benefits. It was on this subject that Mr. Wiggins, who succeeded Sir Edward Grigg in the representation of Oldham, made his maiden speech. He showed a gift of fluency, but he rather spoiled himself by a quite unnecessary use of gesture. The amendment was opposed by Mr. Betterton, who emphasised the fact that this was a contributory insurance scheme, and not a compassionate fund. There must be some relation between the contributions paid and the benefits.

Mr. Neil Maclean declared that all the spongers were not drawing unemployment benefit. They were to be found in the West End of London and even on the benches opposite. "If some of you," he exclaimed, "had to live by the sweat of your brow, you would starve on the first day." Mr. Buchanan, who followed, transgressed the rules of the House by describing Sir A. Steel-Maitland and his Parliamentary Secretary as contemptible for bringing forward a clause of this character, and was promptly called to order by the Speaker. The amendment, on a division, was rejected by 244 votes to 141.

THE COAL CRISIS.

Amendments to the bill continued to be moved with absolutely no prospect of success. Members remained in the House almost solely for the purpose of hearing what the Prime Minister had to say on the coal crisis. It was rumoured that the Prime Minister would make a statement at 9 o'clock, and as a consequence the House became crowded as that hour approached. Still there was no sign of the Prime Minister, and in order to end the suspense Mr. Ramsay MacDonald, at half-past nine, repeated the question, which he had put earlier in the day. At this time Commander Eyres-Monsell, the Chief Government Whip, was the senior Minister in the House, and he told the Leader of the Labour Party that it was not possible to make any Ministerial statement, as the Prime Minister was to meet both parties to-night.

This announcement was sufficiently explicit to leave the House almost empty, and further discussion on the Insurance Bill was confined to a mere handful of members.

FIGHTING IN MOROCCO.

THE FRENCH OPERATIONS.

PARIS, Friday.

A telegram from Tangier states that the situation has improved on the Wergha front. Several rebel units have asked for terms of surrender. The enemy losses in the recent attacks near Tafrant have been very large. The *Tsouls* and the *Branes* are angry with Abdel Krim's brother, who has sent several notables of their tribes to Ajdir. On the front north of Wezzan our aircraft has caused considerable damage to Djebala forces, who had several times attempted to get through our lines. Abdel Krim has warned the Djebela that they will be subjected to harsh reprisals if they are defeated in the Spanish western zone. The enemy have shown more activity during the last few days. The Djebela have been forced to procure weapons in order to march against the French.—(Reuter.)

MR. JOHN McCORMACK.

ARRIVAL AT KINGSTOWN LAST NIGHT.

Mr. John McCormack, the singer, with his wife and daughter, who arrived at Kingstown yesterday evening, was received on behalf of President Cosgrave by Mr. P. L. Banim (private secretary).

A deputation representing the executive committee of the banquet to Mr. McCormack, which is being organised for Wednesday next at the National University, included Sir John Irwin, vice-chairman, Mr. J. J. Walsh, chairman, being absent in Scotland; Mr. H. F. Brennan, hon. secretary; Surgeon J. S. McArdle, Dr. C. M. O'Brien, Mrs. Reddin, Dr. J. F. Larchet, Major Barry O'Brien, Dr. Myles Keogh, T.D.; Mr. Frank Flanagan, Miss Joan Burke, Mr. Vincent O'Brien and Madame Coslett Heller.

Mr. McCormack stated that he hoped to have a house in Ireland before long, but said that prices were high, and sometimes £25,000 was asked for a shack that should not bring £100.

He is to sing at two concerts in Dublin, and is staying in Ireland for two weeks or more.

DEATH IN LIFE-SAVING COMPETITION.

At an inquest at Southport yesterday on a sixteen-year-old school girl, named Elma Marvella Van Bevan, of Bruff, County Limerick, it was stated that she was at a baths qualifying for the bronze medal of the Royal Life-Saving Society when she was taken ill in the water and died before the arrival of medical aid. A *post-mortem* examination revealed that the girl had a tumour on the wall of the heart, and this caused death, with immersion in the water as an accessory. The verdict was: "Death from misadventure."

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR.

THE IRISH LANGUAGE.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—In all the correspondence that has appeared regarding teaching of the Irish language in our elementary schools one important aspect has been forgotten. In the various provinces different expressions for the same words have been adopted; such is the change in the construction of sentences, pronunciation and spelling that each province has a form of language essentially different. I have been in the West of Ireland, and a fluent Donegal speaker was entirely at sea, the locals contenting themselves with the criticism that he spoke "book" Irish but that they spoke the "cradle" Irish.

Commenting on this one evening with some friends, I was introduced to a lady recognised in Kerry as a fluent speaker. A party was arranged to visit Achill and its neighbourhood, and this lady and gentleman were invited to join it. They did so. Their efforts to converse in the native tongue was effected under much difficulty. Both of them were in their own districts regarded as fluent speakers, and the members of the party looked forward with interest to the verdict of the Mayo speakers. Their criticism may be summed up tersely: that both Donegal and Kerry had better learn Irish at its native heath in the West, that there, and there only, was the real Irish spoken. Both Donegal and Kerry were amused at this, as each was sincerely convinced that his and her form of expression was the only genuine brand; the others were only imitators.

It is obvious, if the State desires to make the living language of any use, even in Ireland, they must first select what particular provincial form is best suited for this purpose, make it the standard legally, and teach it and it alone. You may say, is not this the rule at present? The test for this is: get a pupil who is being trained by a Kerry speaker, and one who is being trained by a Leinster speaker, and note the ease that each pupil has in understanding what the other says.

The whole thing is hopeless. Here are my children deprived for nearly four months of the year of any educative effort, beyond what their mother and myself can very imperfectly give them, their teachers frittering their time away acquiring a form of language which in a serious extent is an unknown tongue over a wide area here. When will ordinary common-sense assert its quality among those extremists, who by a stroke of chance now assert their tyranny?—Yours, etc.,

"PUZZLED PARENT."

Donnybrook, Co. Dublin, July 30th, 1925.

THE EXPORT OF HORSES.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I learn with interest that "*La Ligue Française pour la Protection des Chevaux*," whose committee includes such distinguished Frenchmen as Monsieur Briand, Monsieur Georges Clemenceau, Marechal Foch and Monsieur Hannotaux, has sent a letter to the Ministers of Agriculture for Great Britain, Scotland, the North of Ireland and the Irish Free State, which reads as follows:—

"The French League for the Protection of Horses has the honour to call your eminent and kind attention to the deplorable practices to which the traffic in imported horses from England gives rise. These practices rouse the indignation of English people and of the English Press, amongst others, the *Daily News*, from which we have reprinted an article from our 'Bulletin,' pages 3 and 4, copy enclosed.

"Also, one of your Ministers, Mr. Wood, made in the House of Commons the following declarations, which our General Secretary, Monsieur Georges Montorquail, correspondent to the *Temps*, communicated to us (see page 2 of our 'Bulletin'):—

"'With regard,' says Mr. Wood, 'to the exportation of horses to the Continent, you ought to consider the necessity of taking care that the animals are not made to suffer either during the voyage or while waiting to be sent to the abattoirs. If this cannot be done, it would be necessary to restrict, or even to suppress, the exportation.

"This announcement gives us the greatest hope that the suggestions made by the different organisations for the protection of animals will obtain the application of a very high tax, and so end this traffic, by inducing the owners to kill at home the horses destined for butchery.

"Hoping to see, at last, an end of the sufferings of these unhappy animals, which arrive feverish and exhausted in our abattoirs, we beg of Your Excellency to accept the assurance of our profound respect."

Comments from a neighbouring country on the trade in live horses for butchery, which for too long has been allowed in this country, make painful reading, and it is not to be wondered at that our foreign neighbours sometimes look upon us as great humbugs.—Yours, etc.,

E. G. FAIRHOLME, Captain, Chief Secretary.

Royal Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, 105 Jermyn street, London, S.W.1, July 24th, 1925.

THE SENATE ELECTIONS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I wish to draw the attention of the electors to the approaching election of nineteen Senators for the term of twelve years, at a salary of about £360 per year each.

I have read several of the election proclamations (from some of the candidates), and, so far as I know, not one of them makes any mention or promise (if elected) to endeavour to reduce the enormous taxation all classes in the Free State are suffering from at present.

I now write to suggest that some association or combination should be formed with the object of getting a distinct pledge and promise in writing from all candidates to use all means in their power (if elected) to cut down present taxation and to stop future expenses.

I would further suggest that candidates should be clearly informed that if they did not give the above pledge the members of the association would decline to vote for them, and would endeavour to get some other person elected who would give the pledge.

Politicians and people looking for jobs are not wanted as Senators, but people who are anxious to reduce expenses and stop jobbery are the persons for whom to vote.—Yours, etc.,

THOMAS L. PLUNKETT.

Portmarnock, Co. Dublin, July 29th, 1925.

THE KINGSTOWN CUSTOMS.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—During the last two years, as usual, our Irish University has had as its guests several distinguished English University men. The Irish Customs officials have facilitated in every way the entry of these gentlemen into Ireland, and I happen to know that in the case of two of these men—one from Oxford, another from London—the thing which pleased them most of all during their short visit was the real decency of the Kingstown Customs men.

I have yet to meet with more courteous behaviour at any Customs, English or foreign; and there can be no question that these new officials have succeeded in pleasing all visitors who have approached the Customs' inspection in the right spirit. I might add—it is only just to do so—that my experience, in both official and private capacities, with certain other of the newer Irish Civil Services, has left me pleasantly surprised.—Yours, etc.,

J. BRONTE GATENBY.

2 Cliff terrace, Sandycove, July 30th, 1925.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I have seen the letter signed "Charleville" in your issue of to-day, and I write to say I agree with and endorse fully the statements contained therein. I crossed by the Cambria on the night of Tuesday, 28th, and from the time of going on board at Holyhead until I arrived at Kingstown I was greatly struck and delighted by the care, civility and attention shown to the passengers by the staff on board. The ship was very full (1,200 passengers) and accommodation was all engaged; but after we had put out to sea it was found there were berths unoccupied. Instead of not bothering any more, one of the stewards came to the smoke room and informed those who were there, and who had not secured a berth, that they could now have one. It struck me as good and thoughtful business for the comfort of the passengers.

On arrival at Kingstown, up to the scheduled hour, I also received the greatest civility and courtesy from the Customs' officials at Kingstown, and their work, which is a new experience to most of us travelling here, was conducted with dispatch and as little worry or bother as possible. I was quite prepared to be inconvenienced, but was agreeably surprised by the smooth and expeditious manner the duties were carried out. I have great pleasure in testifying to the excellent manner the work was carried out, and the public should be made aware of it.—Yours, etc.,

W. W. KENNY, Major-General, Retired.

Dublin, July 30th, 1925.

"BEGGING."

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—*Apropos* of your late article and subsequent letters appearing in your paper re "Beggars in the Irish Free State," I witnessed the following incident to-day:—

Hearing piteous cries in a quiet part of the Palmerston road, I noticed a small dog being unmercifully caned by a blind man, who, presumably, was being led round by the dog on a very short lead. The beggar was going from house to house soliciting alms. I remonstrated with him on his cruelty, telling him that, although deprived of his sight, he should not deprive his little faithful friend of his liberty. The beggar replied that the dog wanted to lead him on to the road, from which remark it was evident that the dog was not leading the man, but the man leading the dog, and that the little animal was simply used to create an atmosphere of sympathy.

I offered to assist the man to enter a proper home for the blind, but this was evidently the last thing he wished to do. On inquiry I learned that £1 a day is not an unusual amount for him to extract from the charitable public.—Yours, etc.,

M. H. CLARKE.

Dublin, July 30th, 1925.

THE BRAY-GREYSTONES ROAD.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE IRISH TIMES.

SIR,—I am also glad to see that attention is being directed, by the Press at least, to the really disgraceful condition of this "road."

I have been motoring for the past 25 years in all parts of Ireland, and have never travelled over its equal.

I drive cautiously—never exceeding 22.25 miles per hour, but over this road my average is 10 m.p.h., and yet I have broken two springs and injured my chassis.

It is sad to see the roadmen, as directed by our County Surveyor, putting on stones and rolling, etc., and in course of 10-15 days the same men brushing off the same stones. I consider it an outrage to be compelled to pay road tax and yet have to submit to such treatment.

Some time ago a lot of smooth sea stones—at enormous expense—was rolled into this "road," but in a month's time they were forced up again.

Yet a most excellent rock quarry, I understand, exists at top of Windgates, but the shingle from the sea was used in preference, and we all see the disastrous result.

We are paying nearly £6,000 yearly in rates in Greystones, but have no roads, so some time ago an influential deputation waited on the Minister responsible, and I was under the impression that this "road" was decided upon as a "trunk" and would be properly rolled and macadamized.

Evidently it is considered wiser to pay hundreds in the demoralising dole rather than put these men at road repairs.

Our only hope is the Press, by which to focus attention on what is undoubtedly the very worst road in the Free State.—Yours, etc.,

"RESIDENT MOTORIST."

Greystones, July 30th, 1925.

NUNS AS NURSING SISTERS.

BISHOP AND GOVERNMENT DEPARTMENT.

ENNIS, Thursday.

A strongly worded letter from the Most Rev. Dr. O'Doherty, Bishop of Galway, in reference to the attitude of the Local Government Department as to the employment of nuns as nurses was read at yesterday's meeting of the Clare Board of Health.

The Bishop had directed the nuns to leave the Ennistymon District Hospital, the Department not having sanctioned the increases of salary recommended. The old Board of Health had recommended an increase of from £50 to £120, with the usual allowances, to the matron, and from £35 to £60 for other nursing sisters. After two years' delay, during which no reference was made to the matter, the Department wrote sanctioning an increase of £5 to the matron and of £15 in the case of the other sisters. But this was accompanied by a reduction in the value of the rations allowed from 14s. 11d. to 10s. 6d., so that in the case of the matron there would be a net loss under the new scale of £7 per annum. There was a further stipulation that the matron should be a "trained" nurse.

The Bishop, in his letter, states that he has allowed the sisters to remain in the hospital in deference to the wishes of the Board of Health, but that it is high time to have the matter finally settled. The sisters, the letter adds, have been treated very badly by the Local Government Department, which for more than two years had not even answered letters regarding the increase of salaries.

As showing that the increases granted by the former Board of Health were not as large as they might seem, the bishop says:—"In 1922, owing to the increase of the matron's duties, an additional sister was sent from the convent, and maintained in the hospital wholly at the expense of the community at an approximate cost of £60 a year. Further, a maid was formerly allowed to the matron. Since April, 1924, the nuns have had to pay the maid £12 a year and support her. The total cost to the nuns would amount to about £52 a year. These are the Rev. Mother's figures, and, if correct, show that the matron's real salary on the proposed increased scale would be £120, minus £112, or the munificent sum of £8 a year."

If, Dr. O'Doherty says, the Local Government Department wish to get rid of the nuns, that was not a very great concern of his, but he was very much concerned to see that if they were to remain they would not be treated as drudges and slaves.

After a discussion, it was agreed, on the suggestion of the Chairman (Mr. E. F. Kerin), to ask the Department to sanction a salary of £80 a year to the nun acting as matron. The figure of £50 was accepted as reasonable in the case of the nursing sister.

BANK HOLIDAY IN THE NORTH.

POSTAL ARRANGEMENTS.

The head office of the Belfast Post Office (Royal Avenue) will be open on Monday, the bank holiday, but money orders (except in the case of telegraph money orders), savings bank, and licence business, will not be transacted. Old age pensions and Army and Navy allowances, will not be paid on that day.

Mails to and from provincial Ulster offices will be suspended generally between 8 a.m. and 7 p.m. The night mails will, however, be despatched as usual. Mails to England and Scotland from Belfast will be despatched as on ordinary week-days. There will be one general delivery of letters and one general delivery of parcels, both in the morning. Two general collections of letters, etc., will be made from letter boxes and branch and town sub-post offices, commencing at 1.30 p.m. and 5.30 p.m.

Country sub-offices will be open from 9 a.m. to 10.30 a.m., with similar restrictions. At all post offices in Northern Ireland, except Belfast head office, as at all post offices in the Free State, the transaction of telegraph business will be confined to the hours of 9 a.m. to 10.30 a.m.

INQUEST ON LORD CHEYLESMORE.

VERDICT OF ACCIDENTAL DEATH.

Giving evidence at an inquest at Egham yesterday on the body of Lord Cheylesmore, who died on Wednesday in Egham Cottage Hospital as the result of a motoring accident at Virginia Water on July 18, his son, the Hon. Herbert Eaton, who was driving his father from Bisley Camp to Cooper's Hill, deposed that a cyclist in front of him swerved, and he also swerved into an oncoming car, damaging the front axle and disabling the steering. The car then collided with a telephone post.

Charles Henry Olns, of Staines, driver of the oncoming car, said that he tried to avoid colliding, but failed.

Dr. J. W. Bird, of Egham, who attended Lord Cheylesmore, said that his injuries included dislocation of the left hip bone, a scalp wound, and both bones of the left forearm broken, besides one of the joints at the elbow. Lord Cheylesmore got on well at first, but relapsed, and died on Wednesday evening.

The jury returned a verdict of accidental death, and expressed sympathy with Lord Cheylesmore's family.

U.S. MARKETS.

STOCKS CLOSED HEAVY.

(REUTER'S TELEGRAMS.)

NEW YORK, Thursday.

Stocks opened irregular. High-priced specialities were supported, with American Can and General Electric leading, but profit-taking depressed some Motors, Oils and Rails. Trading became quieter after the first hour, although bullish operations continued in certain pool stocks, while professionals sold others freely, being inspired by the belief that a further reaction is due. Public Utilities, Motors and Sugars were the weakest. Nash Motors lost 8, United States Cast Iron Pipe 3, and many others 1 to 2 points. General Electric gained 5, Brown Shoe 4, and American Can 3. The market closed heavy. Government Bonds irregular; Railroad Bonds steady. The day's sales totalled 1,430,000 shares.

Money on call closed easy at 3½ per cent. bid and 4 per cent. asked. Business during the day ranged from 3½ to 4 per cent., with the ruling rate 4 per cent. The last loan was made at 3½ per cent. Prime mercantile paper was quoted at 4 per cent. Silver ⅛c. up at 69⅝. Sterling exchange irregular.

Gold to the value of 130,000 dollars has been engaged for export to the Straits Settlements.

	Thur.	Wed.
Call Money	3½b. 4a	4b. 4½a.
Exchange on Lon. 60 days sight	4.81	4.81 1/16
Do. do. Demand Bills	4.85 5/16	4.85 5/8
Cable Transfers	4.85 5/8	4.85 7/8
Do. Montreal	4.85	4.85 1/2
Exchange Paris, cable	4.75½	4.76

Eng. Parity	Stocks	Closing Bid Prices. Thur.	Business Done. Wed.
105⅜	U.S. Funded	102⅝	102⅝
120	Atch., Top., Santa Fe	120	120
96⅜	Do. Preference	96⅜	96¼
78⅜	Baltimore and Ohio	76⅝	76⅝
146⅛	Canadian Pacific	142	142
	Chic., Mil., and St. Paul	8⅛	8⅜
67⅜	Chicago and N.-West	65⅞	65
28⅜	Erie Shares	28	27⅞
38	Erie 1st Preferred	37⅜	37⅜
117⅛	Illinois Central	114	115
117⅛	Louisville and Nashville	114⅛	114⅛
40⅛	Missouri, Kan., and Texas	38⅛	38⅜
35	Missouri Pacific New	34	34⅜
120	N.Y. Ctl. and Hudson R.	116⅛	116⅛
134⅛	Norfolk and West Com.	131	131⅜
68⅜	Northern Pacific Com.	66⅛	66⅜
47⅛	Pennsylvania Shares	46⅜	46⅜
87⅛	Reading Shares	85	85⅜
40⅛	Do. Preferred	39⅜	39⅜
102⅛	Southern Railway	99⅜	100⅜
101⅛	Southern Pacific	98⅜	98⅜
144⅛	Union Pacific	140⅜	140⅜
79⅛	Do. Pref.	77	78⅜
106⅛	American Smelt. and Refining	103⅜	103⅜
42⅛	Anaconda Copper	41⅜	41⅜
25⅛	British-American Tobacco Ord.	25	25⅜
90⅛	New York Consolidated Gas	88⅜	88⅜
298⅛	General Electric	290	289⅜
154	National Lead	149⅜	150
117⅛	United States Steel Common	118⅜	118⅜
128⅛	Do. Pref.	124⅜	125
43⅛	Bethlehem Steel Com. Stock	42⅜	42⅜
	Silver Commercial Bars	69⅜	69⅜
91⅛	General Motors (New)	89⅜	89⅜
8⅛	Inter. Mer. Marine Com. Certs.	8⅜	9
31⅛	Do. Pref. Certs.	30⅜	31⅜
42⅛	Shell Ordinary	41⅜	41⅜
72⅛	Pan-American Petroleum Ord.	70⅜	70⅜
23⅛	Anglo-American Oil	22⅜	22⅜
24⅛	Shell Union Oil Corp.	23⅜	23⅜
[illegible]	U.S. Rubber	56⅜	58⅜
216⅛	American Can	210⅜	208
26⅛	International Pet. of Canada	24⅜	24⅜
	BONDS		
91⅛	Atch. Top. New 4% Gen. Mort.	89⅜	89⅜
63⅛	Erie Rail. Gen. 4% Lien Bonds	62	62
94⅛	Union Pacific 4% Bonds	91⅜	91⅜
108⅛	U.S. Steel 2nd Mort 5% Bonds	105⅜	105⅜
120⅛	U.K. 5½ per cent. Bonds 1929	117⅜	117⅜
108⅛	Do Do 1937	105	105
98⅛	7 p.c. German Loan	96⅜	96⅜

* Asked. † Ex div. ‡ Ex interest. § Ex rights.

MONTREAL STOCK EXCHANGE.

Eng. Equiv.	Stocks and Shares.	Closing Prices Thurs.	
66¼	Abitibi Power & Paper Co., Ltd.	64⅜	—
75½	Asbestos Corp. of Canada, Ltd.	73⅞	—
108½	Do. Preferred	—	—
60½	Brazilian T.L. & P. Co., Ltd.	58¼	—
1½	Brit. Empire Steel Corp., Ltd.	1⅝	—
24⅜	Do. 1st Preference. Series B.	23½	—
7⅜	Do. 2nd Preference	7½	—
21⅜	Brompton Pulp & Paper Co., Ltd.	21	—
108½	Canada Cement Co., Ltd.	105¼	—
123½	Canadian Cottons Co., Ltd.	120	—
16	Canadian Indus. Alcohol Co.	15½	—
10¾	Canada Steamships Lines, Ltd.	10½	—
46⅜	Do. Preferred	45½	—
108½	Con. Mining & Smelt. Co. of Canada, Ltd.	105	—
87½	Dominion Textile Co., Ltd.	85	—
83	Laurentide Co., Ltd.	81	—
200½	Montreal L. H. & P. Consd.	194½	—
46⅜	National Breweries, Ltd.	45	—
49	Price Bros. and Co., Ltd.	47½	—
168	Shawinigan Water & Power Co.	163½	—
105	Spanish R. P. & P. Mills, Ltd.	102	—
117	Do. Preferred	113½	—
87½	Steel Co. of Canada, Ltd.	85½	—

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKETS.

WHEAT easy, ¼c. to 2¼c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter, spot	168	170
No. 2 Red Winter, spot (new)	164⅜	166
No. 2 Mixed Durum, spot	153	153⅛
No. 1 Northern Manitoba, spot	176½	178⅜

Sales for export—20 boatloads.
RYE barely steady, ¼c. down. No. 2 spot, 107.
Sales for export—Nil.
BARLEY barely steady, ½c. cheaper. American malting, 99.
MAIZE easy, 1½c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Western No. 2 mixed spot	120½	122

Sales for export—Nil.
LARD easy, 20 points lower. Prime Western steam, 18.05; Middle West, 17.85 to 17.95.
FLOUR steady. Spring clears, 100 per cent.—7.75 to 8.00.

FREIGHTS.
Heavy grain to Great Britain, per qr.—1/9-2/6.
Heavy grain to Continent, per 100lbs.—11c.-13c.
Cotton, high density to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—30c.
Cotton, standard bales, to Great Britain, per 100lbs.—45c.
PETROLEUM steady.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Standard White in cases	16.40	16.40
Standard White in barrels	13.00	13.00
Do. Philadelphia	13.00	13.00
Mid-Continent Crude	33-33.9	33-33.9
Pennsylvania Crude	3.45-3.90	3.45-3.90

RUBBER dull, barely steady. First latex crepe, 86¼ buyers, 83 sellers; smoked ribbed sheets, 87 buyers, 89½ sellers.
BURLAPS quiet. Hessian cloth—Light-weight, 7.95; heavy-weight, 10.45.
SUGAR steady, 4 to 2 points up. Centrifugal Cuban spot steady and unchanged; 96 test centrifugal Cuban, 4.27. Approximate day's sales—33,000 tons.

Options—	July.	Sept.	Dec.	Jan.	Mar.	May
To-day	—	2.57	2.72	2.75	2.79	2.88
Prev. day	—	2.53	2.69	2.71	2.77	2.86

TALLOW firm, ⅛c. up. Extra loose, 9⅞.
TURPENTINE—Spirits of turpentine, 96½; Savannah spirits of turpentine, 90½.
METALS.—Tin barely steady, unchanged to 12½ points down; spot, 58.50; future option, 58.25. Tin Plates, 5.50. Lead steady, 5 points up at 8.52½. Zinc steady and unaltered; East St. Louis spot, 7.35. Iron steady; No. 2 American Northern Foundry, 19.50 to 20.00. Electrolytic Copper steady; spot, 14⅝ asked; futures, 14⅝ asked. Bessemer Steel Rails, 43.

WINNIPEG GRAINS.

WHEAT opened easy, ¼c. to ⅜c. lower, and closed easy, 1⅛c to 1⅛c. down. Opening options—July, 161⅞; October, 137⅞. Closing options—July, 161½; October, 137½. Rye irregular, 1⅛c. up to ⅞c. down. Closing options—July, 95; October, 96. Oats barely steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. cheaper. Closing options—July, 53⅞; October, 49⅞. Barley firm, ⅛c. to ⅜c. up. Closing options—July, 89½; October, 77½. Flaxseed firm, ½c. higher. Closing option—July, 227.

Wheat receipts (carlots)	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 1 Northern	4	19
No. 2 Northern	12	26
No. 3 Northern	17	19
No. 4 Northern	14	27
Other grades	15	28
Total	62	119

NEW YORK COTTON.

COTTON opened steady, 1 point up to 2 points down, and closed easy, 60 to 44 points down. Spot quiet at 60 points fall. New Orleans spot 60 points lower. Messrs. A. Norden and Co. estimate the crop condition at 67.0 per cent.

Spot middling upland at New York—24.90.
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Receipts—Atlantic ports, 6,000 bales; Gulf, 3,000; Pacific, nil; interior towns, 4,000. Exports—Great Britain, nil; Continent, 1,000 bales; Japan, 12,000.

CHICAGO MARKETS.

CHICAGO, Thursday.

WHEAT opened easy, at ⅜c. reduction, on favourable weather reports, bearish Liverpool cables and liquidation, and further losses were recorded owing to weakness at Winnipeg, larger interior receipts, and a disappointing outside demand. The market partially recovered later, on buying by commission houses, a better cash enquiry and covering of July contracts, and closed irregular, 1⅛c. up for July, but ⅛c. to ⅛c. down for later months. Spot irregular.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
No. 2 Hard Winter spot	156⅛	155⅞
No. 3 Hard Winter spot	152¼	153⅛

Futures—Opening options—	July.	Sept.
To-day	155⅛	150⅜
Prev. day	153⅜	151¼

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	157¼	150⅜	152
Prev. day	156⅛	151	152⅛

	To-day.	Same day last year	This season	Last season
Receipts (W.)	1,780	2,310	41,022	38,517

(In thousands of bushels.)

MAIZE opened easy, ⅛c. to ⅛c. lower, and closed barely steady, 2⅛c. to ⅛c. lower.

	To-day.	Prev. day.
Spot No. 2 mixed	106⅛	108¼

Futures—Opening options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	—	105⅜	86½
Prev. day	—	106	88¼

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	103⅛	104¼	86½
Prev. day	106¼	106	88⅜

	To-day.	Same day last year.	This season.	Last season.
Receipts (W.)	343	811	9,993	16,037

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OATS easy, ⅛c. to 1c. lower.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	42⅛	42¼	45
Prev. day	42⅞	43⅜	45¼

THE BULL WALL.

PORT BOARD'S ATTITUDE TO ENTERTAINMENTS.

The Dublin Port and Docks Board yesterday discussed the Bull Wall as a place of recreation. They decided that in future they will grant no special facilities or privileges in connection with their property there, but that they will consider favourably any representations made by a responsible committee of Clontarf residents.

Mr. J. E. Raeburn, for the new Clontarf Amusements Committee, had written asking for permission to erect a stage for concert purposes on the Wall. On this application, the Engineer and the Law Agent to the Board reported jointly, as follows:—

"The proposal to erect a concert stage at the Bull Wall, while in itself a commendable project, carries with it very grave objections, the chief of which is that it commits the Port Board in the use of part of their lands as an amusement centre; lands, we would emphasise, that were previously allocated for Board purposes.

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"If the Board, on the other hand, desire to develop the property as a park or recreation ground, it appears that this could only be arranged by leasing the property, subject to strict reservation of certain rights, to some company or authority who would develop the property on these lines, as, for instance, the Clontarf Amusements Committee or the Dublin Corporation.

"We feel we cannot too strongly reiterate the fact that the Board have no power or authority to spend money on the Bull Wall property for the convenience, amusement, or recreation of the general public, or to lay themselves open to the risk of incurring expenditure resulting from such user of the property.

"An article appeared in the daily Press a few days ago which puts forward an entirely false impression of the Board's duties in connection with this property. This article, which is founded on a false premise as to the Board's power in the matter, holds up the Board to ridicule for its alleged defective administration in providing amenities for the pleasure-seeking public. We are of opinion that the article in question was written with the object of speeding up the development of the property as a pleasure resort. If the Board do not agree with the underlying idea, they should take steps to make their views known, and put an end to a position which lends itself to such misrepresentation, and is a source of friction and ill-will.

The Chairman (Mr. Walter Baird) said that the matter had been discussed very fully in Committee, and the decision had been come to that the request should not be complied with. He proposed that the following minute be made:—"The Board cannot comply with Mr. Raeburn's request, and have determined that they will not sanction, in future, any application by individual persons or associations for special facilities or privleges in connection with the Bull Wall; but are prepared to consider favourably any representations made by responsible residents of Clontarf, acting as a committee, with the object of attracting visitors to the Bull Wall during the remainder of the present summer months."

Senator Moran seconded.

SUGGESTED PLEASURE GROUND.

Mr. David Barry said that the whole question and the principle of it required survey. In the Bull Wall and its surroundings there was a magnificent holiday place, much utilised by the working classes of the city. He should not like it to go forth that the Board was in any way antagonistic to the opening of outlets for the pleasure of the poorer people; but he was considering whether they should not go further than the minute suggested. He thought that it would be a politic thing if some conversations could be arranged between the Board and the City Commissioners, with a view to the latter's taking the place over as a pleasure ground, while, at the same time, safeguarding the interests of the Board. That would put an end to the fault-finding with the Board that they saw repeated year after year.

Senator Moran said that there was nothing in the resolution to invalidate the suggestion of Mr. Barry. Neither was there anything in it to prevent the public from visiting the place just as they do at present.

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Mr. Field said that the Board had spent a lot of money to facilitate people going on to the Bull.

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The Chairman said that all applications would have to come before the Board. They had no desire to interfere with the present use of the place, but they wanted to put an end to indiscriminate applications for the use of the Bull Wall for this, that, and the other purpose.

The minute was approved, Mr. Byrne and Mr. Leonard dissenting.

MISSED FROM CANON'S HOUSE.

Michael Rocke, Hospital lane, Enniscorthy, was returned for trial at Wexford on Wednesday, charged with breaking into the residence of the Very Rev. Canon Fortune, P.P., V.F., Taghmon, in the early morning, and stealing goods and money to the total value of £2 10s.

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A Civic Guard deposed to chasing a man, who, in his flight, threw a fistful of money into a hedge. In the hedge later he found thirty-six pennies and eight half-pennies.

RYE—Futures barely steady, ⅛c. to ⅜c. lower. No. 2 spot unquoted.

Futures—Closing options—	July	Sept.	Dec.
To-day	93⅛	96¼	100⅜
Prev. day	94¼	97	101½

PROVISIONS opened steady, and showed improvement owing to the firmness of hogs, receipts being light, and local buying, but reacted in sympathy with grain, also on traders unloading, the poor cash demand, and stop loss selling. The market closed easy, with lard 20 to 22½ points lower, and ribs 15 points up to 10 points down. Lard—Spot, 17.25.

Lard—Closing options	July	Sept.	Oct
To-day	17.25	17.35	17.35
Prev. day	17.45	17.57½	17.55

Ribs—Closing options—	July.	Sept.	Oct.
To-day	18.50	18.25	—
Prev. day	18.35	18.35	—

BACON steady at 12½ points rise. Short ribbed sides (60lbs. average), 18.50.

HOGS firm. Light descriptions are unaltered and heavy unchanged to 10 points dearer. Light hogs, 12.85 to 14.25; heavy hogs, 13.25 to 14.10.

	To-day.	Same day last year
Receipts—Western Cities	68,000	98,000
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Mr. Justice Johnston—Who has at the present time? You say that you are not bound to argue that, and that it is not part of your case.

Mr. Jellett—The way I will answer that is this, as your lordship asks the question: The policy appears to me to be this—you are setting up a perfectly new Constitution in this country. You begin with your Provisional Government, and are given with that Provisional Government, during the period of its existence—namely, twelve months, power to collect arrears of taxes. That is followed by the Free State Government and Executive Council, and you give them also the power, limiting the period, to collect these same arrears, and the idea seems to have been this, that during the specified period, first as a Provisional Government, and, secondly, as an Executive Council, they were given a limited time to collect arrears, so that when the limited time came to an end the Free State Constitution made a new start. To put it colloquially, they started from scratch after that period had expired. The past has gone; you collect your taxes and the arrears of your taxes from that date, and it was not an unnatural thing to suppose that one of the objects was that the past was to be cleared up at a certain date, and after that date had expired, to make a fresh start, and not leave these things hanging over indefinitely.

Mr. Justice Johnston—And uncollected arrears are gone for ever?

Mr. Jellett—They must be gone.

Mr. Justice Johnston—It is a very far-reaching point.

Mr. Jellett said that, of course, it was a point of far-reaching importance, and he thought he was right in saying that there were a great many cases depending on it, because it was the first time that it had arisen.

CASE FOR THE STATE.

Mr. McCann, K.C., with whom were Mr. Costello, K.C., and Mr. Bewley (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), for the Attorney-General, in the course of his arguments in reply, said that counsel on the other side relied on Section 54 of the Bankruptcy Act, but he could not see what bearing that had on the matter. It was not a section dealing with this particular act of bankruptcy, but an act sufficient to ground a petition. The object of the section was to provide for what the rights would be as between the people entitled to execution and the man who was made bankrupt. Having referred to the English Act of 1861, he submitted that there was no distinction between the Irish and English bankruptcy code for the purpose suggested by the other side. The Court had no right to read into a section of an Act of Parliament something that was not in it at all, or to take away a remedy from a creditor that the statute said he was entitled to. The statute gave a clear right to the petitioning creditor to rely on the Act of bankruptcy and get an adjudication under it. Counsel went on to refer to the Treaty Act, the Transfer of Functions Order, and the Constitution Act, and said that, if there was one thing plainer than another in the Constitution, and the Act which gave it the force of law, it was that the intention of the Legislature was to transfer to the new Free State every title of property that was vested in any English department, and the Act was most meticulous with regard to that. The vital thing was to make the transfer permanent: otherwise there would be no meaning in it. There could not be any doubt, from the authorities, that the functions in all these matters were transferred, first to the Provisional Government, and that the effect of Article 80 of the Constitution was to transfer them to the Irish Free State Government.

Mr. Costello, following on the same side, contended that the first part of Article 74 of the Constitution laid down a constitutional declaration of liability in respect of all possible arrears of taxes, and continued it indefinitely, while the second part dealt with the machinery for enforcing that liability during a particularly limited period in a particularly specified method of collecting taxes. It dealt with the machinery of assessing, levying and collecting taxes, and provided for the broken part of a financial year for administrative reasons, the Free State having been set up during a broken period of the financial year. The effect of the second part of the article was to provide that the Oireachtas should not interfere with the existing methods of collection, assessment, and levying of

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Mr. Jellett—I am only concerned here directly with the powers of the Executive Council to collect these arrears, because the whole point comes to this—this is an adjudication on foot of an act of bankruptcy stated to have been done in connection with a judgment for these arrears—namely, the seizure of the debtor's goods by the sheriff, and my whole argument goes to show that the Executive Council or the Free State Government, who seek by these proceedings to put themselves into the position of a creditor against Mr. Reade, are not his creditors at all, because they have no right or power to recover the debt in question.

Mr. Justice Johnston—Who has at the present time? You say that you are not bound to argue that, and that it is not part of your case.

Mr. Jellett—The way I will answer that is this, as your lordship asks the question: The policy appears to me to be this—you are setting up a perfectly new Constitution in this country. You begin with your Provisional Government, and are given with that Provisional Government, during the period of its existence—namely, twelve months, power to collect arrears of taxes. That is followed by the Free State Government and Executive Council, and you give them also the power, limiting the period, to collect these same arrears, and the idea seems to have been this, that during the specified period, first as a Provisional Government, and, secondly, as an Executive Council, they were given a limited time to collect arrears, so that when the limited time came to an end the Free State Constitution made a new start. To put it colloquially, they started from scratch after that period had expired. The past has gone; you collect your taxes and the arrears of your taxes from that date, and it was not an unnatural thing to suppose that one of the objects was that the past was to be cleared up at a certain date, and after that date had expired, to make a fresh start, and not leave these things hanging over indefinitely.

Mr. Justice Johnston—And uncollected arrears are gone for ever?

Mr. Jellett—They must be gone.

Mr. Justice Johnston—It is a very far-reaching point.

Mr. Jellett said that, of course, it was a point of far-reaching importance, and he thought he was right in saying that there were a great many cases depending on it, because it was the first time that it had arisen.

CASE FOR THE STATE.

Mr. McCann, K.C., with whom were Mr. Costello, K.C., and Mr. Bewley (instructed by the Chief State Solicitor), for the Attorney-General, in the course of his arguments in reply, said that counsel on the other side relied on Section 54 of the Bankruptcy Act, but he could not see what bearing that had on the matter. It was not a section dealing with this particular act of bankruptcy as an act sufficient to ground a petition. The object of the section was to provide for what the rights would be as between the people entitled to execution and the man who was made bankrupt. Having referred to the English Act of 1861, he submitted that there was no distinction between the Irish and English bankruptcy code for the purpose suggested by the other side. The Court had no right to read into a section of an Act of Parliament something that was not in it at all, or to take away a remedy from a creditor that the statute said he was entitled to. The statute gave a clear right to the petitioning creditor to rely on the Act of bankruptcy and get an adjudication under it. Counsel went on to refer to the Treaty Act, the Transfer of Functions Order, and the Constitution Act, and said that, if there was one thing plainer than another in the Constitution, and the Act which gave it the force of law, it was that the intention of the Legislature was to transfer to the new Free State every title of property that was vested in any English department, and the Act was most meticulous with regard to that. The vital thing was to make the transfer permanent: otherwise there would be no meaning in it. There could not be any doubt, from the authorities, that the functions in all these matters were transferred, first to the Provisional Government, and that the effect of Article 80 of the Constitution was to transfer them to the Irish Free State Government.

Mr. Costello, following on the same side, contended that the first part of Article 74 of the Constitution laid down a constitutional declaration of liability in respect of all possible arrears of taxes, and continued it indefinitely, while the second part dealt with the machinery for enforcing that liability during a particularly limited period in a particularly specified method of collecting taxes. It dealt with the machinery of assessing, levying and collecting taxes, and provided for the broken part of a financial year for administrative reasons, the Free State having been set up during a broken period of the financial year. The effect of the second part of the article was to provide that the Oireachtas should not interfere with the existing methods of collection, assessment, and levying of taxation. The third part, dealing with the powers and liabilities of the Executive Council, bore out that interpretation. He asked his lordship to hold that the accumulative effect of all these matters led to the conclusion that the Free State was absolutely entitled to all arrears of taxes.

Mr. Campbell said that it was entirely contrary to the Irish Bankruptcy Acts for any creditor in a bankruptcy matter to get more benefit than any other creditor.

Mr. Justice Johnston asked what was the actual result of the seizure.

Mr. McCann—Between £300 and £400 out of a debt of £7,000.

Mr. Campbell contended that it had not been shown in clear and unambiguous language that the Free State had the right to collect this money, or that there was any liability on the part of Mr. Reade to pay it.

Mr. Justice Johnston reserved judgment until the first day of next term.

Mr. Blood, K.C. (instructed by Dr. T. F. Monks), held a watching brief on behalf of Mr. W. P. McCabe, a party interested.

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CONSTRUCTION OF A SUMMONS.

APPEAL DISMISSED.

In the Supreme Court, Dublin, yesterday, before the Chief Justice, Mr. Justice FitzGibbon, and Mr. Justice Murnaghan, the hearing was resumed of an appeal from Mr. Justice Johnston's decision on the construction of two agreements in the case of Falkiner v. Fitzsimmons.

The appellant was Mrs. Alice Mabel Falkiner, widow of the late Richard Baldwin Falkiner, solicitor, of the firm of Hone and Falkiner, solicitors, 9 Suffolk street, Dublin, and the defendant was Mr. Richard Fitzsimmons, solicitor, of the same firm. The appeal was from an order of Mr. Justice Johnston, made on the construction of a summons which came before him for construing certain agreements made between the late Richard Baldwin Falkiner and Richard Fitzsimmons. Mr. Baldwin Falkiner died on May 7th, 1922, and the agreements concerned were dated 31st January, 1908, and the 31st December, 1918. Under the first agreement Mr. Fitzsimmons was made a partner of the firm of Hone and Falkiner, at one-third of the net profits when less than £2,000, and there were certain other stipulations. Under the second agreement the one-third of the profits was withdrawn, and it was arranged that Mr. Fitzsimmons was to get £720 a year, and half the net profits when they exceeded £1,600. The questions submitted to Mr. Justice Johnston were—(1) Whether, upon the true construction of the two agreements, the defendant was entitled to be paid out of the net profits of the firm of Hone and Falkiner, solicitors, in each year in which the net profits of the firm did not exceed £1,600 a sum of £720, in preference to any payment out of such profits to the plaintiff; (2) whether the defendant was entitled to receive payments out of such profits *pari passu* with the plaintiff in the proportion of £720 to £860; and (3) whether the defendant was entitled to any additional remuneration calculated at the rate of 10 per cent., and, if so, on what sum was the said percentage to be calculated?

Mr. Justice Johnston had decided that the defendant, upon the true construction of the agreements, was entitled to be paid out of the net profits of the firm of Hone and Falkiner in each year in which the profits did not exceed £1,600, a sum of £720 in preference to any other payment, and the defendant was entitled to additional remuneration at the rate of 10 per cent., calculated on the net [illegible] Falkiner.

Mr. W. H. Jellett, K.C.; Mr. E. T. Ormond, K.C., and Mr. Chadwick (instructed by Messrs. Montgomery and Chaytor), appeared for the appellant; Mr. S. L. Brown, K.C., and Mr. James Henry (instructed by Messrs. Hone and Falkiner), appeared for the respondent.

Mr. Brown submitted that the answers given by Mr. Justice Johnston to the questions put in the originating summons were correct, and that the principles of construction which counsel on the other side had sought to apply in this case were absolutely wrong.

Mr. Henry followed on the same side.

The Court held that Mr. Justice Johnston had construed the documents correctly, and they dismissed the appeal with costs.

DEPORTED FROM NEW YORK.

COMMITTED TO DUBLIN ASYLUM.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE O'SHAUGHNESSY.)

Mr. Lupton, K.C. (instructed by Mr. T. J. Greene), applied on behalf of Dr. O'C. Donelan, Resident Medical Superintendent, Grangegorman Mental Hospital, for a conditional order for a writ of *certiorari* in remove into the High Court for the purpose of being quashed a committal warrant issued by Mr. E. A. Collins, District Justice, Dublin. In an affidavit, it was stated by Dr. Donelan that on the morning of 3rd March last Frances Dillon was brought before Mr. Collins in the District Court on a charge of having beaten a female attendant, and also with having broken some delph in a Civic Guard Station at Cobh. It appeared that she had been a patient in an asylum in New York, and was deported from there after being released. A deposition was made by Ellen Doherty, a female attendant of the White Star Company, that she took charge of Frances Dillon from the Civic Guard Station, where she had been brought from the ss. Doric, and that on the steps coming ashore the patient assaulted Mrs. Noble, another attendant, tore her hat from her, and beat her. The affidavit further stated that deponent was advised that the Justice acted without jurisdiction, as there was no evidence to show where the patient was apprehended. He was further advised that Cobh was the jurisdiction where she should have been charged.

Counsel went on to say that there was a big principle involved in the case, where people from all over Ireland were brought up here and put into Dublin hospitals, making the Dublin ratepayers pay for the whole of Ireland.

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy granted a conditional order.

ACTION AGAINST ENNISKILLEN MAN.

RECEIVER'S APPLICATION.

In the case of Direct Fish Supply, Ltd. (in liquidation), against Frederick Robert Browne, of Lake View, Enniskillen, agent and contractor,

Mr. Moloney (instructed by Messrs. Barrington and Son) applied on behalf of Mr. George Digby Pepys, Official Receiver of the company, for an order giving him liberty to file a reply and defence to the defendant's counter-claim, notwithstanding that the time for doing so had elapsed. In an affidavit, Mr. Pepys stated that the company was incorporated in November, 1919, in England, with an authorised capital of £2,000,000, divided into 1,960,000 Preferred Ordinary shares of £1 each and 400,000 Deferred shares of one shilling each. On the 29th March, 1922, on petition, in England, an order was made for the winding up of the company. Prior to the order, the company had issued a writ in the action, claiming £21,000 from the defendant in respect of instalments due on 28,000 Preferred Ordinary shares of £1 each, which had been allotted to him.

The defendant pleaded in his defence that he had been induced to enter into the contract by the fraudulent misrepresentation of certain promoters and directors, and counter-claimed for the removal of his name from the register of shareholders.

Mr. Pepys further stated that he had been particularly hampered in the liquidation, which was most complicated, by the absence of the managing director, who had left the country, and who was one of the persons against whom allegations of fraud were made by the defendant. It was essential to have a statement from him before proceeding with the action.

Mr. Molony mentioned that the company was formed for the purpose of creating multiple fish shops throughout the United Kingdom, and the defendant himself had been with the Official Receiver in London.

Mr. Justice O'Shaughnessy made the order sought, directing that the Official Receiver should pay the costs of the defendant necessarily incurred.

A representative of Mr. James Cooper, solicitor, appeared for the defendant.

ECHO OF DUBLIN STRIKE.

WORKER SEEKS AN INJUNCTION.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

An application for an interim injunction was made in a case in which the Irish Transport Union and the Workers' Union of Ireland were mentioned.

Mr. Marnan (instructed by Messrs. A. Cox and Co.) applied on behalf of the plaintiff, William Wallace, 15 Amiens street, Dublin, for the injunction, to restrain the defendants, Messrs. Kingston, Ltd., who were stated to have their registered offices at 19 Nassau street, Dublin, from printing or publishing hand-bills, notices, or other documents containing false and misleading statements to the effect that the plaintiff was, or had been, a Special Constable in Belfast during the pogrom against the Catholics in Belfast, or was associated with the pogrom, or any other false and misleading statements referring to the plaintiff. Counsel read an affidavit of the plaintiff, in which it was stated that he is employed by James Rourke, of the City Bakery, Store street, Dublin, and is a member of the Irish Transport Union. The members of the Workers' Union of Ireland who had been employed by the same firm had gone on strike, with the view of endeavouring to force the firm to dismiss such of their employés as are members of the Transport Workers' Union, but the plaintiff and his fellow-workers who were members of the Union had remained at work. The strike had been in existence about a month, and had nothing to do with the conditions of employment in the firm. He referred to the following handbill, which, he said, was being distributed by persons acting on behalf of the Workers' Union:—"Workers' Union of Ireland, Dublin, No. 1 Branch, Unity Hall, Bakery Section. Notice—Citizens, all the bread van servers working for Rourke's bakery are scabs. One, Wallace by name, was a special constable in Belfast during the pogrom against the Catholics. His address is 15 Amiens street. Another is a former Black and Tan. The men who formerly worked in the firm are fighting for trade union conditions and wages. Don't buy scab bread; supplied by Rourke's scabs. By Order—Strike Committee. Members of Workers' Union are notified that if found buying Rourke's bread they will be expelled. By Order—Executive Committee."

The affidavit further stated that the handbill was printed by the defendants. The statement that the plaintiff was a special constable in Belfast during the pogrom against the Catholics was a gross libel and absolutely untrue, as he was never a special constable in Belfast or elsewhere. The plaintiff continued to state that he was a member of the Church of Ireland until 1916, when he entered the Catholic Church. His wife also is a Catholic. For some years he had been a member of the Irish Transport Union.

The Court granted the injunction.

AN ABORTIVE SALE.

TIPPERARY INJUNCTION CASE.

(BEFORE MR. JUSTICE JOHNSTON.)

The case of Denis and Richard Walsh, farmers, of Ardsallagh, Fethard, County Tipperary, against James Bates, national school teacher, and Bridget Bates, his mother, of Clerihan, Clonmel, was heard.

The action was brought for an injunction restraining the defendants from obstructing or interfering with the plaintiffs in the sale or letting of the lands of Shanballyard, near Clerihan, of which the plaintiffs were owners in fee-simple, and from deterring intending purchasers from bidding at any auction of the lands. Damages for wrongful acts complained of were also sought.

Mr. M. J. Connolly (instructed by Mr. Richard Connolly) appeared for the plaintiffs; and Mr. C. F. Matheson (instructed by Messrs. Skinner and Son) for the defendants, who had not filed any defence.

The plaintiffs, it appeared, had advertised the lands for sale by public auction at Clonmel in the month of February last, and James Bates attended the auction and alleged that he and his mother had a claim to the lands, as representing a former evicted tenant of the lands. He objected to any sale until the claim was satisfied.

It was stated that the plaintiffs purchased the lands in 1918, and that before doing so they had got the good-will of the alleged evicted tenant, who was then compensated by the persons selling the lands to the plaintiffs, and who also had got previously a farm from the Estates Commissioners of the Land Commission. This, it was said, was known to the defendants, who still persisted in obstructing the sale, with the result that the auction was abortive.

Mr. Justice Johnston made an order granting a perpetual injunction against the defendants, with costs, and gave the plaintiffs liberty to apply for an inquiry for damages.

NEW NAUTICAL COLLEGE.

DUBLIN PORT BOARD'S GRANT OF £50.

Dublin Port and Docks Board decided at yesterday's meeting to make a grant of £50 to the Irish Nautical College and Training School, for officers of the Mercantile Marine, just opened in Dublin.

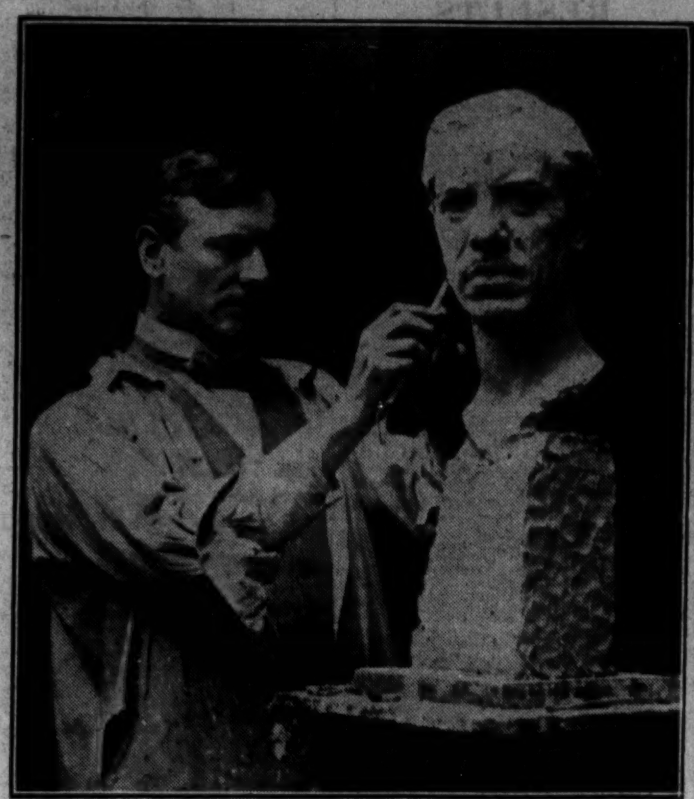
Mr. McLoughlin, who proposed that the grant should be made, said that for the success of the College it was necessary that 25 per cent. of the cost should be met by voluntary subscriptions.

Mr. William Field, seconding, said that the undertaking was one that should appeal especially to that Board. They were bound to support the school as a component part of the Port of Dublin.

The Chairman (Mr. Walter Baird), declaring the proposal agreed to unanimously, said that it was only right that the Board should help the College, which was bound to be of inestimable value to the Free State. The Board's contribution of £50 would show others the necessity and wisdom of making the College the success that it ought to be.

IRISH SCULPTOR AND HIS WORK: U.S. OFFICERS AT PHŒNIX PARK.





The Memorial Statue here depicted is to be erected at Doneraile to the memory of the late Canon Sheehan, D.D., the eminent Irish Novelist, author of "Luke Delmege," "My New Curate," and other well-known studies of Irish life. It is designed by Mr. Francis Doyle-Jones, the Irish Sculptor, who is seen in the second picture at work on a bust of Knighton-Hammon, many of whose water-colours were bought recently for the Tate Gallery.



American Naval Officers watching the Polo in Phœnix Park yesterday.



Lord Shandon, who has just celebrated his 68th birthday.



COSSACKS IN DUBLIN.—Colonel Gamalee, M.C., General Savitsky, and Colonel Seydeler.



Two of the Cossack Girls, photographed at Lansdowne road last evening.



Captain Sir Lingard Goulding at Phœnix Park yesterday.



Miss Ethel Corby, with her Chestnut Gelding, which won 1st Prize at Clonmel.



Mrs. Hope, Mrs. Pounding, and Mr. J. W. E. Jackson at the Enniscorthy Show.



Master Rhoderick De Sales La Terriere, who is only 2½ years of age, on Gollywog at the Clonmel Show.



Mr. Peacock and Mr. A. Hunt, Judges at Clonmel, with Mr. J. Crean.

BROADCASTING.

TO-DAY.

DAVENTRY (5XX)—1,600 Metres.
10.30 a.m.—Weather Forecast. 6.0-10.45—S.B. from London.

LONDON (2LO)—365 Metres.
1.0-2.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Lunch-time Music at the Hotel Metropole. 4.0—"O Toyo Visits Wembley" (6), by C. Romanné James. Dance Music. "The Art of Parody," by Dr. Arthur Compton Rickett, M.A., LL.D. 5.0—Dance Music. 6.0—Children's Corner. 6.30—Children's Letters. 6.40—Musical Interlude. 7.0—Time Signal from Big Ben. Weather Forecast and General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. G. A. Atkinson: "Seen on the Screen." S.B. to all Stations. 7.25—Musical Interlude. S.B. to all Stations except Belfast. 7.40—"A Holiday on the Thames," by A. Bonnet Laird. S.B. to Newcastle. 8.0—An Hour in the Garden (Guy Reeve); John Henry; Helena Millais; Blossom; Charles Stone; Frederick Lloyd. Light Classics. 9.0—"Charlot's Revue." 10.0—Time Signal from Greenwich. Weather Forecast and General News Bulletin. S.B. to all Stations. 10.15—Vyvian Lewis (with Wireless Orchestra). 10.45—Close down.

BIRMINGHAM (5IT)—479 Metres.
3.45—The Lozells Picture House Orchestra. Susie Fullerton (soprano). 4.45—Afternoon Topics: May Martin (contralto). 5.15—Children's Corner. 6.0-6.5—Children's Letters. 7.0—S.B. from London. 7.25—S.B. from London. 7.40—Mr. F. Leslie Carter (member of the Egyptian Exploration Society): "Prehistoric Egypt." The Station Military Band. Cliff Martell (pianoforte). Charles Wreford (entertainer). 8.0—Music and Dialect Recitals. The Band. 9.0—Military Band and Nonsense at the Piano. The Band. Cliff Martell. 10.0—S.B. from London. Local News. 10.20—Violoncello Recital by Leonard Denis. 10.45—Close down.

BOURNEMOUTH (6BM)—386 Metres.
11.30-12.0—Orchestra relayed from the Bungalow Café, Southampton. Musical Director, Arthur Pickett. 3.45—Talk. The Wireless Orchestra. 5.15—Children's Corner. 5.45-6.0—Children's Letters. 6.30—Music. 7.0—S.B. from London. 7.25—S.B. from London. 7.40—Talk by Florence Greg. "Hawaiian Isles"—(1). 8.0—Stuart Robertson (baritone). Mrs. E. M. Smith (concertina). C. Whitaker-Wilson (solo pianoforte). Winifred Ascott (soprano). Gladys James (contralto). Eric Green (tenor). Ernest Eady (baritone). The Wireless Orchestra. 10.0—S.B. from London. Local News. Half-an-Hour in the Hebrides. 10.45—Close down.

CARDIFF (5WA)—353 Metres.
11.30—The Band of the Royal Berkshire Regiment. 3.0—The Station Trio. 4.0—The Carlton Orchestra. 5.0—"5WA'S" "Five O'Clocks." 5.30—Children's Corner. 6.5—The Letter Box. 6.15-6.30—Teens Corner. 7.0-7.25—S.B. from London. 7.40—Mr. Guy Pocock, "The Little Room." 8.0—Harold Williams (baritone). Arthur Catterall (solo violin). The Station Orchestra. 10.0—S.B. from London. Local News. 10.15—S.B. from London. 1.45—Close down.

LIVERPOOL (6LV)—315 Metres.
4.0-5.0—The Station String Quartet. 5.45—Children's Letters. 5.55—Children's Corner. 6.25—"Teens' Talk. 6.40-7.0—Patrizov and his Orchestra. 7.0-8.0—S.B. from London. 8.0—An Evening of Variety. The Younger Generation: Bessie Todd, Phyllis Williams (vocalists). Jean Barnes (elocutionist). Vernon Winchester (solo pianoforte). The "6LV" Children's Orchestra, under the direction of Harvey J. Dunkerley. An Hour at the Cinemas. 9.0—Jules Galliard and his Orchestra from the Scala Cinema. 9.20—Harold Gee and his Orchestra from the Trocadero Cinema. 9.40-10.0—Patrizov and Orchestra from the Futurist Cinema. 10.0—S.B. from London. Local News. 10.15—"Round the Stations."...10.45—Close down.

MANCHESTER (2ZY)—378 Metres.
1.15-2.0—Orchestral Music. 4.0—The "2ZY" Quartet. W. H. Stoneley (solo violin). Talk to Women. 5.15—Children's Letters. 5.30—Children's Corner. 7.0—S.B. from London. 7.25—S.B. from London. 7.35—Lancashire Bee Keepers' Association Bulletin. Boy Scouts' Local Bulletin. 7.40—"More Entertaining Stories from the Greek," by Mr. R. B. Nicolls, B.A. Concertinas and Variety. 8.0—Clara Parr (contralto). Fred Sutcliffe (baritone). James Worsley (dialect entertainer). Ashton-under-Lyne English Concertina Prize Band. 10.0—S.B. from London. Local News. 10.15—S.B. from London. 10.45—Close down.

NEWCASTLE (5NO)—405 Metres.
4.0—Orchestra. 5.0—Tea-time Topics. 5.30—Children's Corner. 6.10-6.30—Scholars' Half-Hour. 7.0—S.B. from London. 7.35—S.B. from London. 7.40—S.B. from London. East and West in Comedy. 8.0—Dennis Noble and Marjorie Booth. The Station Orchestra. Doris Miller (soprano). Tom Scott and Michael Kelly (banjo and saxophone duets).

GLASGOW (5SC)—422 Metres.
11.30-12.30—Midday Transmission. The Wireless Quartet. 3.30—William McLeod (baritone). 3.45—Women's Half Hour. 5.15—Children's Corner. 6.0-6.5—Weather Forecast for Farmers. 7.0—S.B. from London. Local News. 7.60—S.B. from London. 7.40—Mr. Dudley V. Howell, Horticulture Bulletin. 8.0-10.0—S.B. from Edinburgh; S.B. from London.—10.15—S.B. from London....10.45—Close down.

BELFAST (2BE)—440 Metres.
11.30-12.30—Gramophone Records. 4.0-5.0—The "2BE" Quintet. 5.30—Children's Corner. 5.55-6.0—Children's Letters. 7.0—S.B. from London. 7.25—Local News. 7.30—The Station Orchestra. Constance Willis (contralto), Gerald MacNamara (humorous lecture). Popular Favourites by Liszt (died 1886). The Orchestra: Hungarian Rhapsody in D Minor and G Major; "Liebesträume" (Nocturne III.); Symphonic Poem, "Les Préludes." 9.0—Grand Opera. The Orchestra. Overture, "Don Giovanni" (Mozart). 9.8—Constance Willis (with Orchestra), "Sappho's Farewell" (Gounod), "Voce di Donna" (Ponchielli), "Voi che Sapete" (Mozart). 9.25—The Orchestra. "Prize Song" for Violin and Orchestra (Wagner). 9.40—Constance Willis, "Life Must Be Full of Care" and "Here On My Throne" ("Hugh the Rover") (Vaughan Williams), "Here Am I In Beauty's Room" (Thomas), "Now's The Time to Love" ("Mireille") (Gounod). 9.55—The Orchestra. Grand March from "Tannhäuser" (Wagner). 10.0—Oriental Music. The Orchestra. Oriental Nautch Dance, Op. 133 (Vollstedt). "Japanese Suite" (Holst). "Suite Orientale" (Popy). Hindu Prayer. Geisha Dance, Arabian Festival March. 9.30—Gerald MacNamara in Professor Dodd's University Extinction Lectures: No. II., "The Evolution of Music." The Orchestra. March Medley, "Martial Moments" (Arr. Winter). 10.0-10.45—S.B. from London.



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CORONACH'S FINE PERFORMANCE.

From Our Travelling Correspondent.

GOODWOOD, Thursday Night.

Brighter and better weather marked the third day of Goodwood, but still something was left to be desired, for there were fitful and sharp showers throughout the afternoon, and the favourites did not win with the frequency that is to be desired. There was, indeed, one of those reverses in the Goodwood Cup which is not infrequent in this race, for the odds on Charley's Mount was beaten out of a place, and the Aga Khan's second string, Caprier, who was started to make the running for the mare, finished well in front of her, but he was beaten half a length for first place by a 10 to 1 chance, Mr. James White's Cloudbank, who had been well beaten by Diapason in the Goodwood Stakes yesterday afternoon.

Cloudbank had beaten Eastern Monarch in the Queen's Prize on Easter Monday, and until this week the public had not credited him with the stamina which he showed this afternoon over a distance of nearly two miles and three-quarters. There was an unfortunate accident in the race, for Plack, who was well fancied, was accidentally interfered with some five furlongs from home, and, although she did not come down, her jockey, Elliott, was shot out of the saddle. Luckily he was none the worse, but the filly had, as the race was run, a fine chance of winning, which was ruined by the mishap.

Caprier made the running from Alness and Plack, with Charley's Mount lying fourth. Before they turned into the straight Cloudbank had taken up a good position, and Charley's Mount had drawn closer to the leader. Soon after entering the straight Alness was beaten, and then Cloudbank went on second to Caprier. Two furlongs from home Charley's Mount had drawn up into a challenging position, and Carslake made an effort to come through on the rails, but Cloudbank was already edging for the same position, with the result that Carslake on Charley's Mount found himself pocketed. Cloudbank then went on to beat Caprier easily, and Son of Spring finished in front of Charley's Mount.

Carslake was blamed for his attempt to come through on the rails, but it must be said that the filly never seemed to be going too kindly with him, and a mile from home she had to be pressed to keep her place. The winner and the second, it may be noted, were both bred in France. Cloudbank was Donoghue's first winner since his fall at Longchamps.

Lord Woolavington's Success.

Lord Woolavington took Mr. S. B. Joel's place as the successful owner of the third day. His very good-looking Hurry On colt, Coronach won the opening race, the Rous Memorial Stakes, in a canter by four lengths from Pillion, who was making a first appearance and who was well fancied. There were some others in the race with good form, but Coronach never gave any of them a chance and treated them with supreme contempt. This colt was thought to be a good one when he made a successful *debut* at Salisbury, and he showed here that he is without a shadow of doubt a very good one. He is built on magnificent lines, and it may be a long time before he is beaten.

Then the next race fell to the same owner with Pamphilla, a filly by Tetratema, in the Halnakar Stakes. She and Defend had the best of the start, after they had gone a furlong the filly had her head in front, and well ridden by little Sirett she went on to score a comfortable victory by half a length. Mayrian, who had been always going well on the far side, could not get on terms, and was beaten by four lengths for second place.

A Surprise Win.

Fred Darling also expected to win his patron some more races, but the well-tried Legionnaire was the chief victim in a good deal of bumping that took place in the Prince of Wales's Stakes two furlongs from home, and his chance was completely destroyed. The favourite, Sonatina, and Ripolin also engaged in the bumping, and then Alexandrian, a novice owned by Mr. J. B. Joel, came to beat them both, winning by a length and half a length from Ripolin and Sonatina.

In the Drayton Handicap Lord Woolavington's candidate was Brig o' Doon, but he lost at least ten lengths at the post, and then ran fourth. This race was easily won by Black Sheep, who drew out three furlongs from home and won with a lot in hand from Green Fire and Sherwood Starr. In this race Browside bolted, and was declared a non-starter.

In to-morrow's programme, which ends the meeting, there is no event of outstanding importance. The first race of the day, the Molecombe Stakes, will see only a small field, and this may lie between REVIEW ORDER, who won at Ascot as the Accurate colt, and Anne Clifford. The former has had more experience, and may give the weight away. Some of the Stewards' Cup failures may take part in the Chichester Stakes, and of these I think the best may be THISTLE BUD, who was prominent all the way in last Tuesday's race. DIGNITY has been sent to run for the Chesterfield Cup, and I take him to beat Warden of the Marshes. Whoever runs for Mr. Lambton, either KENTISH KNOCK or CONQUISTADOR, may win the Gordon Stakes; while it is likely that SAUCY SUE will continue her unbeaten career by taking the Nassau Stakes.

GALTEE MORE.

SPORTING PARAGRAPHS.

The late Mr. A. J. Ash bequeathed his racehorses, sixteen in number, to his son, Mr. Baron Ash, who has disposed of them all to H. Leader, the trainer.

Non-runners at Catterick to-day include the following:—Tunstall Selling—Corby Bridge. Catterick Handicap — Apparent, Doorway, Hermes. Brough Handicap—Infantry. Colburn Plate—Pictoria gelding, Love's Awakening, Minehead.

After the race for the Goodwood Cup yesterday, in which Plack came to grief, Elliott, her jockey, was found to be suffering from a slight shaking, and nothing more serious. The cause of the accident was that Plack crossed her legs when sandwiched between Alness and Son of Spring.

The following are non-runners at Goodwood to-day:—Chichester Stakes—Conde. Gordon Stakes—Cross Bow, Just in Time. Nassau Stakes—Spick and Span, Mystical, Miss Gadabout. Doubtful runners—Molecomb Stakes—Maritza. Chichester Stakes—Pigeon Post, Hanging Kiss. Selsey Plate—Hedgeside, Coed Canlas, Happy Sinner, Beauty gelding. Gordon Stakes—Repertoire.

Jockeys' engagements at Goodwood to-day include the following:—1.0—Review Order (Beasley), Conscript (Childs), Anne Clifford (Donoghue), Fragmond (Kirby), Lex (Bullock). 1.45—Burnt Sienna (Weston), Bright Maid (J. Leach), Colossus (Wragg), Princeps (Kirby), Constellation (L. Brown), Lucky Son (Richards). 3.0—Urgent (Carslake), Brian Water (J. Leach). 3.30—Runnymede (Childs) Conquistador (Weston), Fox Law (Bullock). 4.0—Saucy Sue (Bullock), Juldi (Carslake), Perfidious (Beasley).

OFFICIAL SCRATCHINGS.

NEWTON ABBOT MEETING.
Churchill Handicap Hurdle—Boyroh.
Amateurs' Steeplechase—Waving Pin.
Brookside Hurdle—Pot o' Cream.
CATTERICK BRIDGE MEETING.
Brough Apprentice Plate—Lady Morham.
Grove Selling Plate—Unison.

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GALWAY.

ALROI WINS THE HURDLE RACE.

Although the attendance was below that of the opening afternoon, another huge crowd of people witnessed the concluding day's sport at Ballybrit. The Hurdle Race was the big attraction, and it proved an even more interesting race than the Plate. It was won by Alroi, owned by Miss M. D. Barbour, sister of the owner of Blancona, much in the same way as Blancona won the Plate. Alroi was in the front of the field for most of the way, and galloping along in free style held a few lengths' advantage of Bolshevist as the final flight of timber was approached. The pair fought out a long-drawn out finish up the hill, and Bolshevist actually got his head in front at the top, only to be run out of it again by the younger horse. Holy Fooks finished third and Bawn-na-Glas fourth.

Alroi was purchased by Mr. F. Barbour from his breeder, Miss G. Carr, privately. It was a distinct feather in the cap of Mr. C. Brabazon, who trains for Mr. F. Barbour, to saddle the winners of the two principal races at the meeting. Blancona and Alroi are two very promising horses, and their future careers will be interesting to follow.

Over Land had an easy task to win the Lough Mask Hurdle Race, and was then saddled for the Galway Hurdle Race, the 10lbs. penalty being reduced to 5lbs. through the apprentice allowance being claimed for K. Lenehan, and he ran extremely well and finished fifth.

Goffee and Little Mick contested the finish for the Renmore Plate, and Goffee showing the better fencing over the stiff jumps wore the other down in the run home to score in comfortable style.

There was a turn up in the Traders' Plate, for which Silent Doon and Irish Free State were the fancied candidates. The latter spoiled his chance through bolting and careering all over the course before the start, but for Silent Doon no excuse could be offered. She was in front a quarter of a mile from home when she dropped back beaten, and the outsider, All Irish, striding away from Ranahan, easily landed the spoils.

Solus, after a hard race in the Galway Plate on Wednesday, was saddled again for the Galway Blazers' Plate, and showing no ill effects from the previous race easily accounted for Glass Island and the others.

Odds were freely laid on Pearlmore to beat three others for the King's Plate, but these were readily floored by the three-year-old, Father Tom, who readily carried Mr. Parkinson's colours first past the post.

1.15—LOUGH MASK PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A hurdle race for maidens. 1½ m.
Mr. J. J. Byrne's b. h. OVER LAND, by Sunny Land—Othello's First, 6, 10-7...K. Lenehan 1
Mr. T. Foley's EMPRESS ROYAL, 4, 10-5 C. McCarthy 2
Mrs. Croft's GOLDEN LIGHT, 4, 10-3 (car. 10-4) ....J. Hogan, jun. 3
(Winner trained by T. Coombs.)
Betting—6 to 4 on OVER LAND, 3 to 1 agst. Golden Light, 7 to 1 Empress Royal.
Over Land settled down from Empress Royal and Golden Light, and making all the running won in a canter by four lengths; one length separated second and third.

2.0—THE GALWAY HURDLE RACE of 250 sovs., of which the second receives 30 sovs. and the third 20 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 2 m.
Miss M. D. Barbour's b. h. ALROI, by Santol—Cascatel, 5, 11-5..............C. Donnelly 1
Mrs. Croft's BOLSHEVIST, a, 12-5 J. Hogan, jun. 2
Mr. F. Burke's HOLY FOOKS, a, 11-8 Jos. Canty 3
Mr. W. J. Parkinson's Bawn-na-Glas, 5, 12-7 E. Quirke 0
Mr. E. Trainor's Fethernadale, 5, 12-4 Jos. Doyle 0
Captain R. Teague's Prudent Lad, 6, 11-11 T. Regan, jun. 0
Mr. T. Ray's Clonlara, 5, 11-8..........P. Higgins 0
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's Templelyon, 5, 10-12 C. Mallon 0
Mr. John Adams's Royal Orb, 4, 10-11...A. Libre 0
Mr. C. Blackmore's No Worry, a, 10-8 Jos. Delany 0
Mr. M. J. Hogan's Precept, 5, 10-10...J. Meaney 0
Mr. J. J. Byrne's Over Land, 6, 10-9 K. Lenehan 0
Mr. W. O. Bourke's Kitty Lightfoot, a, 10-0 J. McCarthy 0
(Winner trained by C. Brabazon.)
Betting—2 to 1 agst. ALROI, 5 to 1 each Holy Fooks and Prudent Lad, 8 to 1 No Worry, 10 to 1 each Bolshevist, Bawn-na-Glas and Clonlara, 100 to 8 Templelyon, 100 to 6 Fethernadale, 20 to 1 any other.
Alroi settled down from Clonlara, Holy Fooks, Templelyon, Bawn-na-Glas, Fethernadale, Over Land, Prudent Lad, Royal Orb, and Bolshevist, and so they ran to the second-last hurdle, when Bolshevist joined Alroi; but the last-named holding command throughout won by half a length; four lengths separated second and third. Bawn-na-Glas was fourth, Over Land fifth, Kitty Lightfoot sixth, No Worry seventh, and Templelyon next. Time—3 mins. 53 1-5 secs.

COURSE BETTING.
3 to 1 Alroi.
5 to 1 Holy Fooks.
6 to 1 Prudent Lad.
8 to 1 No Worry.
8 to 1 Bolshevist.
100 to 8 Templelyon.
100 to 8 Fethernadale.
100 to 7 Bawn-na-Glas.
100 to 6 Clonlara.
20 to 1 Others.

2.30—THE RENMORE PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. An open handicap steeplechase. 2½ m.
Mrs. Croft's b. g. GOFFEE, by General Gough—Grisanna, 6, 11-0............J. Hogan, jun. 1
Mr. C. T. Vandeleur's LITTLE MICK, a, 10-4 McNeill 2
Mr. A. McCann's CAIRBRE, 6, 9-11...W. Horan 3
Mr. J. D. Barret's Monstrous, a, 9-9...M. Hines 0
(Winner trained by H. I. Ussher.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. GOFFEE, 5 to 2 Cairbre, 3 to 1 Little Mick, 10 to 1 Monstrous.
Sweet Home fell at the preliminary, and did not come under the starter's orders. Monstrous fell at the second fence, and Little Mick led from Goffee and Cairbre to the last fence, where Goffee drew away and won in a canter by five lengths; twenty lengths separated second and third.

3.0—THE TRADERS' PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 15 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A welter handicap flat race. 2 m.
Mr. H. Keane's b. m. ALL IRISH, by Irishman—Bit of Thought, 5, 11-2 ..J. McCarthy 1
Mr. R. J. Duggan's RANAHAN, 4, 11-3 J. Hogan, jun. 2
Mr. G. J. Ball's WHIRL, a, 10-5 (carr. 10-7) Capt. Barrett 3
Mr. D. J. Power's Silent Doon, 5, 11-1 Capt. D. Corry 0
Mr. J. Kiernan's Royal Dennis, 6, 10-13 Mr. J. W. Cleary 0
Mr. D. P. O'Brien's Irish Free State, a, 10-13 Mr. S. Dennis 0
Mr. N. J. Grene's Richmond, a, 10-12 J. Moylan 0
Capt. C. B. Harty's Erin Remember, a, 10-5 Mr. T. B. Cullinan 0
(Winner trained by R. Cleary.)
Betting—5 to 4 agst. Silent Doon, 4 to 1 Irish Free State, 6 to 1 Ranahan, 10 to 1 each ALL IRISH or any other.
Irish Free State bolted before the start, and galloped a considerable distance, but he joined the others. Irish Free State made play from All Irish, Royal Dennis, Silent Doon, Whirl, and Richmond, with Ranahan last, for half the journey, when Silent Doon came on from Royal Dennis, All Irish, and Ranahan. Half a mile from home All Irish took command, followed by Ranahan, and won by a length; five lengths separated second and third. Silent Doon was fourth and Erin Remember fifth.

3.30—THE "GALWAY BLAZERS'" PLATE of 100 sovs., of which the second receives 10 sovs. and the third 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 3 m.
Mr. R. Wallace's b. g. SOLUS, by Le Souvenir—Shinrone, a, 10-11.............K. Lenehan 1
Mr. P. D. Cullinan's SILVER TRAY, a, 10-9 Mr. T. B. Cullinan 2
Mrs. Croft's GLASS ISLAND, a, 10-9 J. Hogan, jun. 3
Mr. C. Tully's Blue Ribbon, a, 9-4 Jos. Delany 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—7 to 4 on Glass Island, 9 to 4 agst. SOLUS, 5 to 1 Silver Tray, 100 to 8 Blue Ribbon.
Silver Tray made play from Solus, Glass Island, and Blue Ribbon until half a mile from home, when Glass Island took command, but gave way after the last fence to Solus, who won easily by fifteen lengths; two lengths separated second and third.

4.0—HIS MAJESTY'S PLATE of 100 guineas. Weight for age. 2 m.
Mr. J. J. Parkinson's br. c. FATHER TOM, by Kroonstad—Sheevrella, 3, 8-0 ..P. Beasley 1
Miss M'Donnell's PEARLMORE, 6, 9-0 M. Colbert 2
Mr. A. Comyn's OPPRESSORMORE, 3, 8-0 J. Dines 3
Mrs. K. Stuart's Toby Jug, a, 9-0 ..J. H. Harty 0
(Winner trained by Owner.)
Betting—11 to 10 on Pearlmore, 5 to 2 agst. FATHER TOM, 7 to 2 Oppressormore, 50 to 1 Toby Jug.
Toby Jug led from Oppressormore, Father Tom, and Pearlmore for half the journey, when Oppressormore took command, but gave way half a mile from home to Father Tom, who won in a canter by ten lengths; two lengths separated second and third.

TUAM.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

Racing in the West will come to an end with the popular Tuam fixture to-day. Selections are as follow:—
Stewards' Plate—**Bolshevist**; if absent, **Rathfaran.**
Tuam Plate—**Belle Field.**
Flying Plate—**Larry the Flail.**
Traders' Plate—**Ronald Fox** or **Scarlet Bird.**
Directors' Plate—**Black Toi.**

2.0—THE STEWARDS' PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second receives 5 sovs. A handicap hurdle race. 1½ m. Age. st. lb.
PRUDENT LAD (Capt. Teague).......Kenny 6 12 10
BOLSHEVIST (Mrs. Croft)..............Ussher a 12 7
CARRIG LONG (Mr. Power).......H. Harty 6 12 3
BRAEMAR (Mr. J. J. Foley)..........Owner a 10 9
FURI (Mr. A. D. Comyn)..............Ussher 6 10 8
PALLASGREEN (Mr. Ussher).........Owner 6 10 8
PETIT BEAU (Capt. Maher) ....Dawson a 9 13
RATHFARAN (Mr. Tully)...............Owner a 9 13
LOUVOIS STAR (Mr. Parr)...........Walker a 9 11
ALASKA (Mr. E. J. Hope)............Mitchell a 9 7
SAPPYLASS (Mr. P. Glynn)..........Owner a 9 7
JOHNNY T. (Mr. J. Rooney)........Coombs a 9 7

2.30—THE TUAM PLATE of 75 sovs., of which the second recives 5 sovs. A handicap steeplechase. 2 m. Age st. lb.
FORT ELIZABETH (Mr. M'Allinden) Ussher a 12 10
SILPHO (Major Holliday)..............Arnott 6 11 12
GOFFEE (Mrs. Croft)...................Ussher 6 11 3
WHITE EYES (Mr. F. Pope)..........Cleary a 10 13
SOUTHERN GIRL (Mr. Geigan) ....Walker a 10 6
NORTHERN LINNET (Mr. Rogers)..Arnott 5 10 6
DONYLAND (Mrs. Harty)..............M. Harty a 10 5
GOLDEN CHERRY (Mr. O'Sullivan). Owner a 10 4
CAIRBRE (Mr. M'Cann)................Dawson 6 10 3
RANDHOON (Mr. Duggan) ....Ussher 5 10 0
BELLE FIELD (Mr. R. Wallace)....Owner a 9 13
BLUE RIBBON (Mr. C. Tully)......Owner a 9 7

3.0—THE FLYING PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 2 sovs. A handicap flat race. 7 f. Age st. lb.
NOBLE PRINCE (12lb. ex.) (Mr. F. Burke) Behan 4 11 4
PAXTON (Mr. O'Sullivan)...............Owner 6 9 11
TOP SPEED (Mr. Comyn)................Ussher 3 9 10
MOST NOBLE (Mr. Staunton)..........Owner 6 9 6
LARRY THE FLAIL (Mr. Power) Arnott 5 9 5
KNOCKBARREN (Mr. Tully).............Owner 4 9 4
WHITE HILL (Capt. Teague)..........Kenny 4 9 4
BEDDGELERT (Mr. Duggan)...........Ussher 3 9 1
PEARLEEN (Mr. Tully)...................Doyle 6 9 0
SHY LASS (Mr. Cannon)...................Moss 3 8 13
OLLA (Mr. A. M'Cann)..................Dawson 3 8 12
ORBY'S BELL (Mr. Groarke)......O'Rourke 4 8 10
CORN SLOPES (Mrs. M'Kenna)..M'Kenna 3 8 9
PURE GAIETY (Mr. Ross)...................Moss 4 8 0

3.30—THE TRADERS' PLATE of 50 sovs., of which the second receives 2 sovs. A flat race. Weight for age, etc. 1 m. 3 f. Age. st. lb.
RELIABLE (Mr. M'Donogh)..........Ussher 4 11 6
RONALD FOX (Mr. Berney)............Behan 4 11 1
STRIPED SILK (Mr. Power)...........Ussher 4 11 1
CRAOBHOG (Mr. Groarke)........O'Rourke 6 11 1
YUKON (Mr. J. G. Hartigan)..........Owner 4 11 1
WHITE SPORT (Sir T. Ainsworth) Owner 5 10 3
POMPONIUS (Mr. Beary)................Owner 4 10 3
EMPRESS ROYAL (Mr. T. Foley) Owner 4 10 3
ERIN REMEMBER (Capt. Harty) ......— a 10 10
PRICKLES (Mr. Horsman)...............Owner 5 10 3
XTOY (Mr. Mathews).....................Walker 4 10 3
LAUGHING GIRL (Mr. Melody) Ranahan 6 10 3
SCARLET BIRD (Mr. O'Driscoll)..Dawson 6 10 3
THE PERISHER (Mat. Roche-Kelly)..Owner a 10 3
BEALACH CONGLAS (Mr. Sleator)..Arnott a 10 3

4.0—THE DIRECTORS' PLATE of 50 sovs. A steeplechase. Weight for age, etc. 3 m. Age st. lb.
GLASS ISLAND (Mrs. Croft).........Ussher a 12 5
YOURS ONLY (Mrs. Croft)............Ussher a 12 5
ROGIOSKO (Mr. Dennis)...............H. Harty a 12 5
IOTA (Mr. H. Loughran)...............Walker a 11 2
SCARLET BIRD (Mr. O'Driscoll)..Dawson 6 11 2
BLACK TOI (Mr. Walker)..............Owner 4 10 13
ABDULLA (Mr. G. Dodd)..............H. Harty 4 10 8

LEOPARDSTOWN GRAND PRIZE.

The £1,000 Leopardstown Grand Prize will be decided on Monday next, and the list of probable starters and jockeys for it is as under:—
LORD WEMBLEY, br. c., by Tredennis—Captive Princess (Mr. W. A. Wallis) (F. Morgan), 9-5 .... (—)
ARGENTAN, b. f., by Argos—The Pile (Major D. Dixon) (Dawson), 9-5 ...... (—)
MERNAULT, br. c., by Hainault—Seafard (Mr. John Ryan) (Moss), 9-1......J. Moylan
NANTENAN, b. f., by Hainault—Flo Desmond (Capt. R. R. Brassey) (H. Hartigan), 9-1 ....Jos. Canty
BRIGHTER NIGHT, b. c., by Jackdaw—Short Line (Mr. B. M. Slocock) (Coombs), 9-1 ....J. Patman
L'AINE, br. c., by Simon Square—Eleni (Mr. A. H. Macaulay) (Tierney), 9-1 T. Burns
MAY PAN OUT, ch. f., by Pandion—May (Mrs. Coombs) (Coombs), 8-10......J. Lenehan
SILVER LARK, br. c., by Silvern—Laverock (Mrs. C. L. Mackean) (S. Jeffery), 8-10 M. Wing
CHESMINT, b. c., by Spearmint—Chestnut Sunday (Mr. D. Mahony) (Collins), 8-9 .... (—)
PEACE RIVER, b. or br. c., by Cygnus—Isle of the Blessed (Major D. Dixon) (Behan), 8-9 .... (—)
PHALOI, b. f., by Rockrol—Phalution (Mr. J. J. M'Auley) (Coombs), 8-5......W. Howard
*AMATOI, ch. f., by Prince Hermes—Vitol (Mr. A. B. Coyle) (Fordred), 8-5 ...... (—)
MOLLOY, b. c., by Captivation—Miss Maloney (Sir T. Dixon) (Behan), 8-5...... (—)
ARDSALLAGH, br. c., by Bachelor's Double—dam by Jaeger—Dolcezza (Mr. Arthur M'Cann) (Dawson), 8-5 ....W. Treacy
CERIGO, br. c., by Honey Bee—Courier Belle (Mr. D. Sullivan) (Dawson), 8-5...... (—)
VESINGTON WAVE, br. c., by Tredennis—Orby Lass (Mr. C. T. Wallis) (Behan), 8-5 ....A. Barrett
PEACEMAKER, b. f., by Mediator—Nereid (Mr. John Doyle) (Owner), 8-5......James Doyle
BALLY BEE, ch. c., by Honey Bee—Ballyshee (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) (Owner), 8-5 ....E. M. Quirke
PROTECTIONIST, b. c., by Tredennis—Grande Chartreuse (Mr. J. J. Parkinson) (Owner), 8-5 ....P. Beasley
LADY LUCIENNE, br. f., by Jackdaw—Doris O (Mr. O. T. Slocock) (Coombs), 8-1 ....P. Moylan
*MISS HAZEL OGE, b. f., by Junior—Cheque (Capt. B. Daly) (Fordred), 8-1 J. Dines
HESTERINA, ch. f., by Marcus—Silver Fleece (Col. Honner) (Honner), 8-1 ... (—)
*Doubtful starter.

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CURRAGH TRAINING NOTES.

THE CURRAGH, Thursday.

BEHAN'S Port Arthur, Clough, Vesington Comet and Vesington Planet were sent a sharp five furlongs; Lorient, Miramichi, Vesington Bee, Dee Street, Vesington Wave, Mascot and Poppy Day had healthy exercise.

HARTIGAN'S Drumlassie, Montpelier, South Pole and Sanders cantered a mile and a half steadily; Gambling Bee, South Sea, Fedamore, Nantenan and Duneen came five furlongs.

FORDRED'S Vesington Orb, Sed, Ballykeeran, Amatol, Bridgemould, Brian Boy and Ballyboley cantered four furlongs; St. Donagh and others had healthy exercise.

PERRY'S Maureen M. and Knocklong Boy came six furlongs steadily, Knocklong's Pride and Golden Pride cantered four furlongs.

STAUNTON'S and DOYLE'S teams were exercising on the roads.

TUAM SELECTIONS.
Stewards' Plate—PETIT BEAU.
Tuam Plate—DONYLAND or CAIRBRE.
Flying Plate—OLLA.
Traders' Plate—WHITE SPORT.
Directors' Plate—YOURS ONLY or IOTA.

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DAILY EXPRESS. — Scout's Safety Bet—Goodwood: RAVISRE (each way). Income Tax Man—Catterick: 4RVEGO (each way).

GOODWOOD RESULTS.

1.30—ROUS MEMORIAL STAKES of 20 sovs. each, with 400 sovs. added for owner and 100 sovs. for breeder of winner. Second receives 50 sovs. out of the stakes. Two years old. 6 f.
Lord Woolavington's ch. c. CORONACH, by Hurry On—Wet Kiss, 8-7......G. Archibald 1
Mr. A. de Rothschild's PILLION, 8-4 S. Donoghue 2
Mrs. S. Whitburn's WITFUL, 7-13...T. Weston 3
Mr. J. P. Hornung's Romany Rye, 8-9 H. Jelliss 0
Mr. H. Shaw's Simon the Beggar, 8-7...F. Lane 0
Major McCalmont's Mr. Brock, 8-7...H. Beasley 0
Sir A. Bailey's Hercules, 8-2............C. Smirke 0
Off 1.30. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—11 to 8 agst. CORONACH, 3 to 1 Hercules, 5 to 1 Romany Rye, 11 to 2 Pillion, 10 to 1 Mr. Brock, 100 to 7 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.
Coronach, on the right, made play from Pillion, on the right; Mr. Brock, on the left; Hercules and Witful for half a mile, when Pillion joined Coronach, who, however, drew right away at the distance, and virtually leading throughout, the favourite won cantering by four lengths; six lengths separated second and third. Simon the Beggar was fourth, Hercules fifth and Mr. Brock last.

2.15—HALNAKER STAKES of 3 sovs. each, with 200 sovs. added. Second receives 30 sovs. out of the stakes. 5 f.
Lord Woolavington's gr. f. PAMPHILLA, by Tetratema—Pamfleta, 2, 7-6.........J. Sirett 1
Mr. J. B. Joel's DEFEND, 2, 8-2...G. Archibald 2
Mr. Sol Joel's MAYRIAN, 2, 6-13......H. Wragg 3
Also ran:—Marmot (V. Smyth), Sparkling Gem (J. Childs), Spahi (W. McLachlan, jun.), Santa Maria (S. Donoghue), Sibyl Grey c. (Fox), Berryboy (G. Richards), Stephania (A. Orme), Pinault (A. Burns), Sweet Whisper (W. Alford), Fleurie (H. Leach), Jehu (T. Weston). Off 2.19. (Winner trained by F. Darling.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—6 to 4 agst. Mayrian, 3 to 1 Defend, 11 to 2 PAMPHILLA, 10 to 1 Sparkling Gem, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—8 to 1 agst. Sparkling Gem; other prices same as "Sporting Life."
Won by half a length; four lengths. Marmot was fourth and Santa Maria last.

3.0—GOODWOOD CUP, a sweepstakes of 20 sovs. each, with 1,000 sovs. added, including a cup. Second receives 200 sovs., third 100 sovs. out of the stakes. About 2 m. 5 f.
Mr. J. White's ch. c. CLOUDBANK, by Nimbus—Berengere, 4, 9-3..............S. Donoghue 1
H.H. Aga Khan's CAPRIER, 5, 8-4...T. Weston 2
Sir A. Bailey's SON OF SPRING, 3, 7-12 C. Smirke 3
Lord Rosebery's Plack, 4, 9-7..........C. Elliott 0
H.H. Aga Khan's Charley's Mount, 4, 9-0 B. Carslake 0
Mr. A. R. Cox's Alness, 3, 7-0......W. Marland 0
Off 3.0. (Winner trained by L. Ward.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—6 to 5 on Charley's Mount, 5 to 1 agst. Plack, 7 to 1 Alness, 8 to 1 Son of Spring, 10 to 1 CLOUDBANK, 20 to 1 Caprier. "Sporting Chronicle"—9 to 1 agst. Son of Spring; other prices same as "Sporting Life."
Caprier was attended by Alness, Plack and Charley's Mount, with Cloudbank in the rear, for a mile and a half, when Plack went on second, but stumbled entering the straight and unseated her jockey. Shortly afterwards Alness was beaten, and Charley's Mount weakening a quarter of a mile from home, Cloudbank raced through on the inside and won by three-quarters of a length; half a length separated second and third. Charley's Mount was fourth and Alness last. Time—5 mins. 4 4-5 secs.
Elliott, the rider of Plack, escaped injury.
Draw for Places:—No. 1 (inside), Caprier; 2, Plack; 3, Alness; 4, Charley's Mount; 5, Son of Spring; 6, Cloudbank.

3.30—FUNTINGTON SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 6 f.
Mr. S. Wootton's b. c. POMANDER, by Pommern—Orlinda, 4, 8-4.........S. Ingham 1
Mr. J. Solomon's ROYAL HUSSAR, a, 7-8 J. Childs *
Mr. F. C. Parker's TEMIBLE, 3, 7-8 S. Donoghue *
Also ran:—Little Red Rat (J. Taylor), Alliston (L. Brown), Golly-Eyes (E. Leach), Irish Weeds (J. Brennan), Olive Rowles (A. Berry). *Dead-heat for second place. Off at 3.32. (Winner trained by Wootton.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—Evens POMANDER, 5 to 2 agst. Temible, 5 to 1 Little Red Rat, 10 to 1 each Golly-Eyes and Royal Hussar, 100 to 8 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.
Won by a length; a dead-heat for second place. Little Red Rat was fourth, and Irish Weeds last.

4.0—DRAYTON HANDICAP, sweepstakes of 10 sovs. each, with 500 sovs. added. Second 50 sovs., third 20 sovs. 1 m.
Lord Astor's br. g. BLACK SHEEP, by Black Jester—Lady Baba, 4, 8-12 .....F. Bullock 1
Mr. Sol. Joel's GREEN FIRE, 4, 8-7 H. Wragg 2
Sir A. Bailey's SHERWOOD STARR, 3, 7-5 T. Weston 3
Also ran—Re-echo (J. Childs), Precious (L. Brown), Brig o' Doon (G. Archibald), Brimstone (S. Donoghue), Weathervane (W. Alford), Yellow Underwing (G. Richards), Helsby (B. Lynch), Wind Swept (J. Sirett). Off at 4.6. (Winner trained by Taylor.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—4 to 1 agst. Brig o' Doon, 5 to 1 BLACK SHEEP, 7 to 1 Green Fire, 8 to 1 each Sherwood Starr and Wind Swept, 10 to 1 each Yellow Underwing and Re-echo, 100 to 8 each Weathervane and Brimstone, 20 to 1 any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—7 to 2 agst. Brig o' Doon, 5 to 1 BLACK SHEEP, 7 to 1 Sherwood Starr, 8 to 1 Green Fire, 10 to 1 each Re-echo and Wind Swept, 100 to 8 each Brimstone and Yellow Underwing, 100 to 7 Weathervane, 20 to 1 any other.
Won by six lengths; three lengths. Brig o' Doon was fourth and Helsby last.
Browside was weighed out for by Carslake, but threw his jockey, and did not come under the starter's orders.

4.30—PRINCE OF WALES'S STAKES (post sweepstakes) of 200 sovs. each. Two-year-olds. Second saves stake. 6 f.
Mr. J. B. Joel's b. c. ALEXANDRIAN, by Sunstar—Hypatia, 8-0 ....B. Carslake 1
Lord Derby's RIPOLIN, 8-11 ....T. Weston 2
Sir A. Bailey's SONATINA, 8-8 ....F. Bullock 3
His Majesty's Despatch Rider, 8-0 ....J. Childs 0
Lord Woolavington's Legionnaire, 8-0 G. Archibald 0
Mr. J. A. de Rothschild's Bloodhound, 8-11 J. Leach 0
Off 4.34. (Winner trained by C. Peck.)
Betting—"Sporting Life"—5 to 4 agst. Sonatina, 7 to 4 Legionnaire, 5 to 1 Ripolin, 100 to 7 ALEXANDRIAN or any other. "Sporting Chronicle"—Same.
Won by a length; a short head separated second and third. Legionnaire was fourth and Bloodhound last.

TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.

THE CHESTERFIELD CUP.

The Goodwood Meeting will be brought to a conclusion to-day. The principal event is the Chesterfield Cup, and two former winners of this particular race, Evander and Frater, will figure among the opposition, the following being the list of

PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS.
EVANDER (Mr. Sol Joel) (Earl)..a, 8-13 H. Wragg
PERFECTUS (Mr. A. W. Gordon) (F. Leader), 6, 8-8 ....R. Perryman
FRATER (H.H. Aga Khan) (R. Dawson), 4, 8-7 ....B. Carslake
RESINATO (His Majesty) (W. Jarvis), 4, 8-7 ....J. Childs
KARL (Sir H. Meux) (Persse), 5, 8-4 H. Beasley
DIGNITY (Sir C. Hyde) (Scobie), 3, 8-2 ... (—)
HENRY THE SEVENTH (Mr. M. Field) (Boyd-Rochfort), 4, 8-1 ....McLachlan
BUCKS YEOMAN (Sir A. Bailey) (R. Day), 4, 9-0 ....C. Smirke
WARDEN OF THE MARCHES (Lord Lonsdale) (F. Darling), 3, 8-0 ....Donoghue
LINKMAN (Mr. A. de Rothschild) (J. Watson), 3, 7-8 .... (—)
SOLITARY (Mr. A. C. E. Howeson) (W. Nightingall), 3, 7-2 ....A. Burns
FAIR CHARLOTTE (Mr. L. E. Cribbin) (Clancy), 4, 7-0 ....J. Sirett

Evander has only 2lb. more to carry than when scoring in 1923, and, with the stable in form, there are many who will range themselves on his side, despite his having failed to catch the judge's eye this season. Perfectus seems to have deteriorated, and last year's winner, Frater, will have to show vast improvement on his last four displays if he is to have a chance. Resinato is not badly handicapped on his best form. Karl is unreliable, but Dignity is one that has to be taken into consideration. He was by no means disgraced when failing by three-parts of a length to concede 15lb. to Joy Rider at Liverpool. In Warden of the Marches, however, he will have a worthy opponent, and, as the latter has slightly the best of the weights, I give him preference. Selections:—
Molecomb Stakes—**Lex.**
Chichester Stakes—**Bright Maid.**
Chesterfield Cup—**Warden of the Marches.**
Selsey Plate—**Blackmoor.***
Gordon Stakes—**Conquistador.**
Nassau Stakes—**Saucy Sue.**

1.0—MOLECOMB STAKES of 30 sovs. each, 10 ft., with 300 sovs. added; two-year-olds. Second rec. 100 sovs. 6 f. st. lb.
REVIEW ORDER (Ld. Barnby)......Persse 9 5
SUN YAT-SEN (Mrs. S. Whitburn)...Cottrill 9 3
CORONACH (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 9 2
HERCULES (Sir Abe Bailey).........R. Day 8 12
FRAGMOND (Mr. F. T. Halse).........Nugent 8 12
KEDLESTON (Mrs. A. James)...........Lambton 8 12
CONSCRIPT (Ld. Queenborough) Boyd-Rochfort 8 12
SUNNY VIEW (Mr. J. White)......L. Ward 8 12
LEGIONNAIRE (Ld. Woolavington) F. Darling 8 12
ANNE CLIFFORD (Ld. Lonsdale).F. Darling 8 9
FOLIATION (Mr. S. Tattersall).........Taylor 8 5
FLEURIE (Mr. V. T. Thompson).F. Hartigan 8 9
VERVELLE (Ld. Woolavington)...F. Darling 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
ROMANY RYE (Mr. J. P. Hornung).B. Jarvis 9 5
BADENOCH (Sir Abe Bailey)...........R. Day 9 5
LEX (Sir Abe Bailey).................R. Day 8 12
MARITZA C., by Valens (Mr. Gretton) Moreton 8 12
RELATION (Mr. J. B. Joel)............C. Peck 8 12
ROMAN MAID (Mr. Corrigan)......D. Waugh 8 9
GESTURE F., by Othello (Mr. J. B. Joel) C. Peck 8 9

1.45—CHICHESTER STAKES, h'cap sweepstakes of 5 sovs. each, 3 ft., with 400 sovs. added. Second rec. 50 sovs. 5 f.
ARAUSIO (Mrs. W. Whitburn).......Cottrill 4 9 4
PERHAPS SO (Lady Nunburnholme) Boyd-Rochfort 4 9 1
BURNT SIENNA (Ld. Derby) Lambton 5 9 0
STANHOPE (Mr. James White) L. Ward 4 8 13
BRIGHT MAID (Lady Ludlow) Pickering 3 8 7
BURGOS (Mr. J. C. Galstaun) ....O. Bell 3 8 5
IRON MASK (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 3 8 5
THISTLE BUD (Lady Edgar) ......C. Davis 4 8 5
SILVER IDOL (Maj. Parr) ....Persse 3 8 3
COLOSSUS (Mr. Sol Joel) ....Earl 5 8 2
MUM RUFFIN (Sir Abe Bailey)...R. Day 3 7 13
FITZ ROY (Capt. G. C. H. Davy) Beatty 3 7 12
DUSKY BRAVE (Mr. J. Bancroft) Easterbee 4 7 11
CONSTELLATION (Sir Hugo Cunliffe-Owen) ....O. Bell 3 7 9
RODEO (Mr. J. S. Courtauld) .. B. Jarvis 3 7 9
PRINCEPS (Mr. F. T. Halse) ......Nugent 3 7 8
CONDE (Mr. T. F. Ryan) ....Persse 3 7 8
LUCKY SON (Mr. M. H. Benson) M. Hartigan 3 7 0
(The above have arrived.)
MERRIMENT (Sir R. W. B. Jardine) T. Waugh 4 8 13
FLEET CLOUD (Mr. A. K. Macomber) S. Darling 4 8 11
LAUGHING LADY (Mr. Sol Joel) ....Earl 3 8 3
HANGING FIRE (Mr. H. L. Cottrill) Owner 5 8 1
LE PIERRE DE TANVILLE (Mr. A. K. Macomber) ....S. Darling 4 8 0
PIGEON POST (Mrs. S. Whitburn) Cottrill 3 8 0
GLITTER GOLD (Mr. H. Lines) ...Owner 3 7 12
COMMUTER (Sir Abe Bailey) ....R. Day 3 7 12
ROMAN EAGLE (Sir Abe Bailey) F. Hartigan 3 7 12
AWNING (Sir Samuel Scott) ....Darling 3 7 11
THE BIG THREE (Mrs. Darcy Baker) Martin 5 7 10
GRAND LADY (Lord Glanely) ....Darling 3 7 10
OPEN PROSPECT (Sir Abe Bailey) R. Day 3 7 6
RAZOR (Col. E. Thistlethwayte)...Wilmot 4 7 3
SWASTIKA (Sir Lewis Richardson) B. Jarvis 3 7 3
PHALTAN (Mr. C. Wadia) ......Crawford 3 7 3
TETRANCE (Mrs. Rudd) ....Tabb 3 7 2
ARGOZONE (Eleanor Lady Torrington) Bartholomew 4 7 0

2.30—CHESTERFIELD CUP, handicap, sweepstakes of 15 sovs. each, with 1,000 sovs. added (including a cup). Second receives 75 sovs. and third 25 sovs. 1¼ m.
(FOR PROBABLE STARTERS AND JOCKEYS SEE TO-DAY'S SELECTIONS.)

3.0—SELSEY OPTIONAL SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs.; for two-year-olds got by stallions registered to cover in 1922 at less than 100 gns. 6 f. st. lb.
BLACKMOOR (Mrs. J. B. Joel).....C. Peck 8 12
CASCATELLA G., by Honey Bee (Mrs. Bower Ismay) ....Persse 8 5
BRUYERE (Sir A. Bailey).......F. Hartigan 8 5
DARING (Mr. F. Wright)..............H. Sadler 7 4
HERN (Mr. J. A. de Rothschild).........Pratt 7 2
(The above have arrived.)
GRIPPEMINAUD (Sir F. Eley)..Bartholomew 8 8
RAINBOW BRIDGE (Ld. Derby)....Lambton 8 8
GOLDEN BROOM (Capt. Riley Lord)..Beatty 8 5
URGENT (Mr. Barnett Cohen)............Batho 8 5
BRIAN WATER (Mr. Beer)...........Leach, jun. 8 3
WEST RIDING F., by Prince Galahad (Mr. de Mestre) ....Owner 8 0
AGNOSTIC G., by Viceroy (Sir G. Noble) Whitaker 8 0
VENZELT (Mr. H. Mollekin)...........Vasey 7 13
PALMIST (Mr. J. P. Hornung)......R. Jarvis 7 12
ALACRITY (Lady Edgar)...............C. Davis 7 9
MUSTAVA (Mr. F. A. Relliville)........Kirk 7 9
COED CANLAS (Mr. H. L. Cottrill)...Owner 7 9
GESTURE F, by Othello (Mr. J. B. Joel) C. Peck 7 9
REDEEM (Sir G. Murray)..............Persse 7 9
ABSORBENT (Mr. Sears)........Leach, jun. 7 6
GREEN STAR (Mr. de Mestre)........Owner 7 6
HAPPY SINNER (Mr. G. Hardy)........Hogg 7 6
ILLUSION F, by Sir Berkeley (Sir R. Kennedy) ....Templeman 7 6
IRISH PRINCESS (Ld. Willoughby de Broke) Crawford 7 4
BEAUTY G, by Polygnotus (Mr. Cottrill) Owner 7 4
HEDGESIDE (Sir G. Hardy)..............Hogg 7 4
MOUNTAIN SLIDE (Mrs. J. Bancroft) Easterbee 7 4
THE RAT (Mr. A. J. Day)..............Owner 7 2
SEE AND WAIT (Mr. Davy)...........Clancy 6 13

3.30—GORDON STAKES of 15 sovs. each, 5 ft., with 500 sovs. added. Second receives 75 sovs., and third 25 sovs. Three-year-olds. 1½ m. st. lb.
DIOMEDES (Mr. S. W. Beer)........H. Leader 9 10
KENTISH KNOCK (Mrs. A. James) Lambton 9 10
FOXLAW (Sir Abe Bailey)...............R. Day 9 10
SAUCY SUE (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 9 7
RUNNYMEDE (His Majesty) ....W. Jarvis 9 4
PRIORY PARK (Mr. C. Howard)......Clancy 9 3
CONQUISTADOR (Lord Derby)......Lambton 9 0
RIGHT ARM (Sir Abe Bailey)..........R. Day 8 13
REGGIE (Mr. Joseph Benson)..........P. Lowe 8 5
(The above have arrived.)
SPELTHORNE (Lt.-Col. Giles Loder) Gilpin 9 10
VERMILION PENCIL (H.H. Aga Khan) R. Dawson 9 10
SOLARIO (Sir John Rutherford)......Darling 9 10
CROSS BOW (Lord Astor)...............Taylor 9 10
ZAMBO (H.H. Aga Khan)..........R. Dawson 9 10
PUCELLAS (Mr. J. P. Hornung).....R. Jarvis 9 5
ZIONIST (H.H. Aga Khan).........R. Dawson 9 3
BOYARIN (Mr. H. W. Sadler)............Abroad 9 3
DOMENICO (Lord Derby)...............Lambton 9 0
REPERTOIRE (Sir H. Cunliffe-Owen) O. Bell 9 0
JUST IN TIME (Lord Woolavington) F. Darling 9 10

4.0—NASSAU STAKES of 30 sovs. each, 10 ft., with 300 sovs. added. Three-year-old fillies. Second receives 100 sovs., third 50 sovs. 1¼ m. st. lb.
PERFIDIOUS (Mr. H. S. Gray)...S. Darling 8 10
BRODICK BAY (Lord Derby) ....Lambton 8 5
JULDI (H.H. Aga Khan) ....R. Dawson 8 5
(The above have arrived.)
SAUCY SUE (Lord Astor)...............Taylor 9 8
SFRADELLA (Lady Chesterfield)...Rochfort 8 10
MISS GADABOUT (Lord Astor)..........Taylor 8 10
PALMA BAY (Lord Wolverton)......Lambton 8 10
MYSTICAL (Lord Astor) ....Taylor 8 5
SPICK AND SPAN (Lord Astor)........Taylor 8 5
SUNNY STRAND (Mr. A. Falcon)...Rinton 8 5
BUDGET (Mr. J. P. Hornung).......R. Jarvis 8 5
THE DOUBLE TRAGEDY (Sir H. Meux) Persse 8 5
MAY COLLEEN (Sir H. Meux)..........Persse 8 5
BY-LAW (Lord Sefton)...................R. Day 8 5
SCRATCHINGS.—Chesterfield Cup—The Monk. Molecombe Stakes—Pantera.

SPECIAL SELECTIONS FOR TO-DAY.

Westminster Gazette:—Double—Blackmoor and Burnt Sienna. To-day's best—Blackmoor.
Daily Graphic:—Double—Gurzil (nap) and Bayona.
Daily Mirror:—Double—Lex (nap) and Blackmoor.

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SWIMMING.

TO-NIGHT'S GALA AT BLACKROCK.

The Gala arranged by the Army Athletic Association in connection with the visit of the Pittsburg will commence this evening at 6.30.

The first item on the programme will be a 50 Yards Ladies' Handicap. Other events include a Squadron Race between Leinster and a team from the Pittsburg, 100 Yards Men's Race (Open), a race for the crew of the Pittsburg and a first class exhibition of water polo, which will be provided by the Irish team to meet Wales and a selected Leinster side. Post entries will be accepted for all open events. The famous Army No. 1 Band will be in attendance.

CLUB NOTICES.

CLONTARF (Ladies' Section).—Owing to the Army Gala being held at Blackrock, the Bollard race will not be held this evening. Sixty-six Yards Handicap:—1st, Miss Schmitz (18); 2nd, Miss Cahill (18); 3rd, Miss Blunn (18). Time—60 secs.

PEMBROKE CLUB.—The races fixed for to-day are postponed owing to the Gala at Blackrock. The Ladies' Diving Championship will, however, be held at 6.30, as an item of the Gala. Results:—Ladies' 50 Yards Handicap (Juniors)—1st, Miss Whelan; 2nd, Miss Cullen; 3rd, Miss N. Little. 440 Yards—Alexandra Cup Series—1st, Miss Dowling; 2nd, Miss M. Armstrong; 3rd, Miss E. Symes. 50 Yards—McLaughlin Cup Series—1st, Miss M. Armstrong; 2nd, Miss Hanna; 3rd, Miss N. Mooney. Men's 440 Yards Sealed Handicap—Ellerker Cup—1st, Harte; 2nd, Ellerker; 3rd, Whiteside.

CATTERICK BRIDGE.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME AND SELECTIONS.

A two-day meeting opens at Catterick Bridge to-day. The chief feature is the Catterick Handicap Plate, which should furnish an interesting contest. Gurzil has made the long journey from Newmarket to run for this, and Lady Sheffield's colt ran sufficiently well behind Black Gown at Newmarket to hold a good chance, but my choice is Lady Clara, who, I am informed, is strongly fancied by her connections. Selections:—
Grove Plate—**O'Sullivan's selected.**
Tunstall Plate—**Indelible.**
Handicap Plate—**Lady Clara.**
Brough Plate—**Dropitin.***
Colburn Plate—**Shannon Shore.**
Brompton Plate—**Templestowe.**

TO-DAY'S DOUBLE.
Blackmoor and Dropitin.

1.30—GROVE SELLING PLATE of 200 sovs. 7 f. Age. st. lb.
MARITIME (Mrs. E. Reynolds) G. Armstrong 5 9 4
PICLINE (Mrs. M. I. Roddam)..Turnbull a 9 1
BRAMBLE BRANDY (Mr. A. Bourne) W. Renwick 3 8 4
(The above have arrived.)
GALLOPING SLAV (Lady Green)..Storie a 9 4
IRISH DAIL (Capt. Harrison-Broadley) Beaumont 4 9 4
DANUM (Mr. S. Morris) ....Vasey 4 9 4
VICTORY SPEECH (Mr. F. J. Benson) E. Piggott 4 9 4
MESALLIANCE (Mr. G. Baxter)...Abroad 4 9 1
FLAVIUS (Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan) ....Owner 6 9 1
CALL ALICE (Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan) Owner 5 9 1
MINIVER (Mr. G. Parcy) ....Read 5 9 1
DARNHOLME (Mrs. Ethel Renwick) J. Renwick 4 9 1
SCORPIO (Mr. A. Skelton) ....Owner 5 9 1
FRONT ROW (Mr. W. Webster) ....Cole 4 9 1
GRAND FETTLE (Mr. M. B. Barlow) Private 3 8 7

2.0—TUNSTALL (S.) HANDICAP PLATE of 200 sovs. 1¼ m. Age. st. lb.
DING HOW (Mr. J. Sharp) ......Walters 5 9 6
OCTABELLA'S PRIDE (Mr. H. Roper) F. Armstrong 6 8 9
PICLINE (Mrs. M. I. Roddam)..Turnbull a 8 9
TOR CREEK (Sir E. Hoyle) W. Renwick 3 7 3
(The above have arrived.)
SALE TICKET (Mr. L. F. Fattorini) Pollock 5 9 7
INDIAN GAUZE (Mr. G. W. Dick) Beaumont a 8 12
AD ASTRA (Mr. G. T. Unwin) Smallwood a 8 7
INDELIBLE (Brig.-Gen. John Rotton) J. Renwick 5 8 6
PUT AND TAKE (Mr. J. G. Thompson) T. Webb 5 8 5
MASTER PERCY (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick 4 8 5
CHOPSTICK (Mr. J. McCall) ....Owner 8 8 4
CORBY BRIDGE (Mr. J. J. Bell-Irving) R. Armstrong 3 8 4
BRANTON ROUGE (Mr. R. T. Murray) Binnie 6 8 3
HARCOURT (Mr. B. M. Bullock) Owner 4 8 2
YOUNG POLE (Mr. G. T. Unwin) Smallwood a 8 0
GRASSENDALE (Mr. Anderson)..Private 6 7 13
GRAND DUKE II. (Mr. A. E. Aston) Bazley 6 7 12
SILVER ZEP (Mr. R. F. Braithwaite) J. Davis 6 7 12
CONFIDENT (Mr. A. Hodgson)...Gunter 5 7 7

2.30—CATTERICK HANDICAP PLATE of 300 sovs. Second receives 20 sovs., and third 10 sovs. 5 f. Age st. lb.
SURCOAT (Mr. R. V. Hartley) (7lb ex.) Ridley 4 9 2
LADY CLARA (Mr. T. Davidson) Cottrill 6 9 0
GURZIL (Lady Sheffield) ....J. Butters 4 8 13
PAPILLON (Mr. J. Sharp) ....Walters 3 7 7
(The above have arrived.)
INVERMARK (Mr. R. Walker) C. Doyle 4 9 5
BLANDUS (Mr. R. Lumsden) (12lb ex.) Binnie 4 9 2
DOORWAY (Mr. E. M. Rayner) Peacock 3 8 13
KING OF CLUBS (Mr. Bellerby) Owner 5 8 12
HERMES (Mr. A. Boutall) ....Higgs 3 8 10
INSTEP (Mr. R. Walker)..........C. Doyle 3 8 10
THE PRUDE'S FALL (Capt. A. Stanley Wilson) (12lb) ....Storie 6 8 10
DOWNHOLME (Mr. Cunningham) McCall 5 8 10
ELTONIAN (Mr. A. Skelton) ....Owner 5 8 5
SANTOLINA (Mr. T. Green) ....Owner 4 8 5
APPARENT (Mr. Alderson) ......Armstrong 5 8 5
DUNIN (Mr. F. S. Jopling) ....Renton 6 8 4
DRURY (Mr. T. Bull) ....Reader 6 8 3
SOLEIL DE NUIT (Mr. E. T. O'Sullivan) Owner 6 8 2
TOO EAGER (Lady Green) ....Hammett 6 8 2
JAVADORE (Mr. E. Burns) ....Owner a 7 13
SCHOTTISCHE (Mr. Gresson) ...Hartigan 3 7 13
SCOTTISH ELEGANCE (Mr. C. Barlow) Read 5 7 7

3.0—BROUGH APPRENTICE H'CAP PLATE of 150 sovs. 1 m. 3 f. Age st. lb.
DROPITIN (Mr. G. Picken) ...Golightly 4 8 9
THE PRESIDENT (Mr. T. Davidson) McCall a 8 0
BAALBEK (Mr. H. Mollekin) ....Vasey 4 7 10
(The above have arrived.)
INFANTRY (Mr. J. Riley) ....Peacock 3 8 1
CYZARA (Mr. J. B. Foster) J. Renwick 4 7 7
SWEET CLEMATIS (Sir Lycett Green) Hammett 6 7 7
MASTER PERCY (Capt. H. Whitworth) J. Renwick 4 6 10
CONFIDENT (Mr. A. Hodgson)...Gunter 5 6 10

3.30—COLBURN MAIDEN T.Y.O. PLATE of 150 sovs. 5 f. st. lb.
INSCRUTABLE (Mr. H. H. Benjamin) F. Archer 8 12
OVERPROOF C., by Zeitinger (Mr. Deuchar) ....W. Renwick 8 12
LADY LIKE C., by Loch Lomond (Sir Thomas Dixon) ....Peacock 8 12
TUSCANY C., by Theo Bold (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ....Peacock 8 12
STETCHWORTH BELLE C., by March Along (Mr. J. Sharp) ....Walters 8 12
HEARTY (Mr. S. W. Beer)......Leach, jun. 8 9
GLOWING MORN (Mr. A. Bourne) W. Renwick 8 9
WILLING RESPONSE (Mr. R. H. Hepworth) ....Vasey 8 9
RICH GIRL (Colonel E. D. Kennedy) F. Butters 8 9
BAYONA (Lord Lonsdale)....R. Armstrong 8 9
GRAND ARCADY (Mr. H. Mollekin)...Vasey 8 9
SHANNON SHORE (Lord Southampton) Beatty 8 9
ARRAN ROSE (Lord Zetland)........Dundas 8 9
(The above have arrived.)
BULL BEE (Mr. J. Rutters) ....Owner 8 12
CAPPED (Mr. A. K. Charlesworth)...Botterill 8 12
NIGHTDEW (Mr. C. O. Hall)........Binnie 8 12
SPORTING GUN (Captain J. R. Renwick) Owner 8 12
WEARING A CROWN (Mr. W. T. Sears) Leach, jun. 8 12
LARRET (Mr. M. Vasey) ....Owner 8 12
BUCHANAN (Captain A. Stanley Wilson) Storie 8 12
HUMILIATION G., by Roi Hero (Mr. J. Baylis) ....O'Sullivan 8 9
COED CANLAS (Mr. H. L. Cottrill)...Owner 8 9
PICTORIA G., by Somme Kiss (Mr. J. L. Dugdale) ....Peacock 8 9
DOLMAN (Lord Durham) ....P. Peck 8 9
CRYSTAL SET (Sir George Renwick) J. Renwick 8 9
LOVE'S AWAKENING (Mr. W. Riley Smith) Peacock 8 9
MINEHEAD (Mr. R. W. Tilley)...........Higgs 8 9
WORLD OF ROSES (Mr. W. Webster)...Cole 8 9
RUSHAWAY (Captain A. Stanley Wilson) Storie 8 9

4.0—BROMPTON WELTER PLATE of 200 sovs. 1 m. 7 f. 150 yds. Age st. lb
PILTDOWN (Mr. R. H. Hepworth) Vasey 4 8 12
TEMPLESTOWE (Mr. H. Stobart) R. W. Colling 3 8 9
ROCK QUEEN (Mr. R. J. Hughes) F. Archer 3 8 1
(The above has arrived.)
ABBOTT'S CHOICE (Mr. A. Dawson) Bellerby 5 9 11
LITTLE BUFFET (Mr. R. Renton) Owner 6 9 1
GREEN (Mr. C. R. Baron)...G. Armstrong 5 9 1
SAFE IN BED (Mr. J. Baylis)...Sheddon a 9 1
PUNGENT (Mr. J. W. Johnson)...Owner 4 8 12
IMARI (Captain E. F. Angler)........Owner 4 8 12
NOVO MONASTE (Sir George Renwick) J. Renwick 3 8 9
IPWEDO (Sir Lycett Green)......Hammett 3 8 9
BELL HEATHER (Mr. H. Dorington) Peacock 3 8 6
ADVENTURE (Mr. J. A. Dunkerly) Botterill 3 8 4
LUCKY MAN (Mrs. Rendle)...M. Hartigan 3 disq.

YACHTING.

THE CUMBERLAND CUP.

By winning the third consecutive race at Ryde yesterday, Laille (Mme. V. Heriot) carried off the Cumberland Cup, presented to the Royal Thames Y.C. by the Vice-Commodore, Lord Queenborough, for competition by the international 8-metre class.

JOCKEY'S LICENCE WITHDRAWN.

The *Racing Calendar* states:—The Stewards of the Jockey Club held an inquiry in London on July 27th, when they considered the statements made by the owner, trainer and jockey of Sale Ticket. Having heard the evidence of the Ayr Stewards they were satisfied that E. Fox had not done his best to win the race and withdrew his licence. They found no evidence to prove that Pollock, the trainer, was implicated.

IRISH CYCLISTS' OLD TIMERS' FELLOWSHIP.

Run to Glen of the Downs to-morrow. Meet at Donnybrook 3 o'clock. The September run has been changed from Bohernabreena to Carton, Maynooth Meet Gough Statue 3 o'clock.

LAWN TENNIS.

CO. DUBLIN CHAMPIONSHIPS.

It was delightfully fine and bright yesterday at Carrickmines—the fourth day of the Co. Dublin Championships—and what wind there was in the morning helped the courts to recover from the heavy rainfall of the previous evening. Owing to their greater importance, special attention was paid to championship events, all of which have now reached the semi-final stages, and it is hoped that what arrears there are in the handicaps will be cleared off to-day, provided the weather holds.

As a result of yesterday's play, Mrs. Tomlinson, Miss H. Wallis, Mrs. Blair White, and Miss Daly qualified for the semi-final round of the ladies' singles, which will be played to-day. Of the four matches only one, that between Miss Wallis and Miss N. Stoker, was really close. Both kept a good length right through, but Miss Wallis was a shade more accurate, and her experience brought her through. She played her usual baseline game, driving hard on both wings, and beat her opponent's attempts to get to the net with a series of deep lobs, the majority of which were wonderfully accurate considering the cross-wind that was blowing. In spite of this, Miss Stoker never abandoned her aggressive tactics and, fighting every ace, only went down after two keen sets.

Miss F. Pearson put up a good struggle against Mrs. Tomlinson throughout the opening set, but in the second experience told, and the winner went out in the ninth game. Both Mrs. Blair White and Miss Daly had easy wins against Miss Bradbury and Miss Meredith.

Perhaps the best tennis of the day was seen in the third round match of the Open Mixed Doubles—C. F. and Mrs. S. F. Scroope against E. S. Hornidge and Mrs. Tomlinson—which went the full distance before the former pair won. Both men were very good at the net, and, receiving steady backing from their partners, the opening set ran to 16 games before Hornidge and Mrs. Tomlinson took the lead. Scroope's fast, well placed service, backed with his greater steadiness, squared the match in the second at 6-3, and, once level, the winners pressed home their advantage, winning the final set with the loss of a single game.

In the Men's Doubles C. F. Scroope and S. F. "Barry" proved too good for T. V. Murphy and E. S. Hornidge and went into the next round in straight sets, losing only four games. Details:—

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C. J. O'Reilly beat J. F. Gregg—7-5, 8-6.

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Mrs. A. Blair-White beat Miss Bradbury—6-2, 6-2.
Miss M. Daly beat Miss D. Meredith—6-1, 6-1.

MEN'S OPEN DOUBLES.
Third Round.
L. A. Meldon and A. P. Barry, w.o.; A. A. and F. M. Luce, scr.
F. C. Martin and C. J. O'Reilly beat Allman Smith and A. Blair-White—0-6, 6-2, 6-3.
C. F. Scroope and L. F. Barry beat T. V. Murphy and E. S. Hornidge—6-2, 6-2.

LADIES' OPEN DOUBLES.
Second Round (Concluded).
Miss N. Stoker and Miss N. Daly beat Mrs. West and Miss R. Wallis—6-0, 6-3.
Misses Jackson and H. Wallis beat Mrs. Rounds and Miss F. Pearson—6-4, 6-3.

OPEN MIXED DOUBLES.
Second Round (Concluded).
A. P. Barry and Miss R. Wallis beat J. L. Woods and Miss Sheehan—6-2, 6-4.
H. J. and Miss H. O'Reilly beat M. Sugden and Miss Chambers—6-4, 6-3.
Third Round.
C. F. and Mrs. S. F. Scroope beat E. S. Hornidge and Mrs. Tomlinson—7-9, 6-3, 6-1.

MEN'S SINGLES, CLASS A.—First Round (Concluded)—W. W. Woods (1) beat R. T. Cherry (minus 1)—7-5, 6-3. Second Round—E. Fannin (1) beat F. M. Luce (2)—7-5, 4-6, 3-3 (retired); C. S. Almond (4) beat G. A. Kennedy (3)—7-9, 6-2, 8-6; A. D. Pringle (4) beat W. Deverill (15.2)—6-2, 6-4. Third Round—G. W. Kennedy (minus 4) beat C. S. Almond (4)—4-6, 6-3, 6-3; W. G. Wells (5) beat C. W. Blair-White (scr.)—2-6, 6-3, 6-0.

MEN'S SINGLES, CLASS B.—Second Round—A. H. Walsh (minus 2) beat J. C. Ridgeway (5)—6-2, 10-8. Third Round—A. H. Walsh, w.o.; R. C. Bathurst, scr.

LADIES' SINGLES, CLASS A.—First Round (Concluded)—Miss M. Daly (minus 3) beat Miss P. Wallis (scr.)—2-6, 6-3, 7-5. Second Round—Mrs. Hall (2) beat Mrs. V. Gray (4)—6-3, 7-5; Mrs. Rounds (minus 5) beat Mrs. West (minus 15)—5-7, 6-2, 6-4; Miss P. Boyd (15.2) beat Miss M. Mahony (15.1)—7-5, 6-2; Miss R. Wallis (minus 15) beat Miss Bradbury (3)—7-5, 6-4.

LADIES' SINGLES, CLASS B.—Third Round (Concluded)—Miss S. Murphy (1) beat Miss G. Laing (minus 5)—6-3, 6-2. Fourth Round—Miss M'Laughlin (minus 3) beat Miss Roantree (15)—6-1, 7-5; Miss G. Mahony (15) beat Miss J. Davies (4)—7-5, 6-2; Miss Clear (3) beat Miss Harley (minus 3)—6-4, 6-4; Miss S. Murphy (1) beat Miss E. Caulfield (15.4)—6-4, 6-3.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

11 o'c.—Misses N. Stoker and N. Daly v. Mrs. Blair White and Miss O'Reilly (C.), Mrs. Hall v. Mrs. Rounds, Mrs. Tomlinson v. Miss H. Wallis (C.).

12 o'c.—P. A. Ryan and Mrs. Rounds v. H. J. and Mrs. O'Reilly (C.); Mrs. Scroope and Mrs. Blair White v. Misses Kelly and Blanche, Miss Pearson v. Miss R. Wallis, A. H. Walsh v. J. Gage, Miss Clear v. Miss G. Mahony, Miss S. Murphy v. Miss McLaughlin, B. C. Waller and Miss K. E. Pim v. Mr. and Mrs. Racquet ("A.").

1 o'c.—Misses Jackson and H. Wallis v. Mrs. Beatty and Mrs. Tomlinson (C.), C. S. Wallis v. E. S. Hornidge (C.), G. A. Kennedy and Miss Oliver v. M. Sugden and Miss Chambers, E. W. Tomlinson and Miss N. Stoker v. Winners of "A."

2 o'c.—H. J. O'Reilly and Miss E. Martin v. A. and Mrs. A. Blair White ("B."), T. F. Gregg v. E. L. Warren, Miss M. Daly v. Miss G. Caines, Miss Richardson v. Miss P. Boyd, Misses Jackson and R. Wallis v. Misses T. Stoker and S. Murphy, Mr. Luce and Miss Cunningham v. Mr. and Miss M. V. Gray, G. W. Kennedy v. E. Fannin.

3 o'c.—Mrs. Rounds and Mrs. Beatty v. Misses N. Daly and N. Stoker, P. A. Ryan and Miss McFerran v. D. A. Tyndall and Miss Pearson, M. Leonard and Miss G. Mahony v. N. Kennedy and Miss F. Tyndall, M. Sugden and C. Knox Peebles v. H. Campbell and E. W. Tomlinson, T. F. Gregg and Miss Stacpoole v. Winners of "B."

All other competitors must be on the ground at 4 p.m.

LANSDOWNE JUVENILE TOURNAMENT

The postponed final of the Girls' Handicap Doubles was decided last evening at Lansdowne road in beautiful weather.

GIRLS' HANDICAP DOUBLES.—Final.
Miss W. Foster and Miss V. Mahony (scr.) beat Miss S. Rogers and Miss A. Gough (minus 15), 6-3, 8-6.

SEABRIGHT TOURNAMENT, U.S.A.

SEABRIGHT (N.J.), Thursday.

In the semi-finals of the Women's Lawn Tennis Singles here to-day Miss Helen Wills defeated Mrs. Mallory, 6-1, 6-0, and Miss E. Ryan defeated Miss Mary Browne, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

MOUNT TEMPLE CLUB.—American tournament, Monday, 3rd August, 11 o'clock. Entries close to-morrow.

JOHN PLAYER AND SONS.—Following will represent the Dublin factory in the tennis match v. Nottingham factory at Aspley lane, Nottingham, to-morrow:—C. Klingner, J. H. D. Fidler, A. H. Murray, E. K. Bohane, V. Egan, C. H. Hayden. Reserve—G. W. T. Robertson.

SANDYCOVE CLUB.—The annual "at home" was held on Saturday last, when the club finals were played with the following results:—Ladies' Championship—Miss Kinnear beat Miss Bath (holder), 6-2, 1-6, 6-2. Men's Championship—P. Murray beat W. Sherriff, 6-1, 6-1, 1-6, 3-6, 6-6. Ladies' Doubles—Misses Thompson and Conway beat Misses Bath and D. Hobbert, 6-4, 3-6, 6-1. Men's Doubles—Messrs. Smyth and J. Hart beat Messrs. Nelson and Murray, 2-6, 6-2, 7-5. Mixed Doubles—J. Fulton and Miss Carroll beat A. Pennycook and Mrs. Sullivan, 8-6, 4-6, 6-2.

GOLF.

RATHFARNHAM.—July medals. Class I.—D. J. Collins (4), 79; D. R. Pigott (6), 79; J. Wisdom (12), 85. Pigott won on play-off. Class II.—H. Crumplin (19), 72; C. J. MacDougald (20), 72; J. H. Wisdom (22), 76.

BELVEDERE COLLEGE UNION G.S.—The competition held at Woodbrook for silver cup, presented by a member of the Committee, resulted as follows:—Dermod Walsh (9), 74, cup; James Tallon (22), 77, winner of sweepstake; Dr. Louis O'Mahony (24), 83. Twenty-five members competed.

HOWTH.—To-morrow 5th, qualifying round, club cup. Monday: Forenoon, men's singles (bogey); afternoon, mixed foursomes.

WOODBROOK.—An open competition v. bogey will be held on Monday for valuable prizes.

CASTLE.—Monday, 3rd August. Morning—Four-ball, bogey, sweepstakes 11.30—Ladies' 9-hole sweepstakes. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes. Arrange partners and opponents.

KILLINEY.—To-day—Aggregate score. Draws at 11.30 and 3 o'clock for those who have not partners.

IRISH MERCHANT TAILORS' G.S.—Result of competition for prizes presented by the President (Mr. John E. Scott), held at Dollymount on Tuesday:—J. Dallas (12), 75; James Boyd (15), 80; S. Dunseith (11), 82; V. Dallas (13), 83; R. Milne (9), 83; J. Jones (23), 84; E. J. M'William (15), 84.

TRAMORE GOLF CLUB
OPEN MEETING.
11th to 19th SEPTEMBER. —(Advt.)

HORSES FOR CANADA.

Twenty Irish racehorses and six Clydesdales, valued at close on £13,000, were embarked on the C.P.R. Metagama, at Glasgow, yesterday afternoon, for Canada. The racehorses are for distribution over the Canadian studs in the endeavour to advance Canada as a centre in the horse-breeding world. The six Clydesdales are considered one of the best groups ever to leave Scotland, and include a stallion, second at the Royal Show, and Buchan Voucher, twice first at the Highland Show.

SELECTIONS FOR GOODWOOD MEETING TO-DAY.

PAPER.	1.0 RACE.	1.45 RACE.	2.30 RACE.	3.0 RACE.	3.30 RACE.	4.0 RACE.
Irish Times	Lex.	Bright Maid.	Warden of the Marches.	Blackmoor.*	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
Do. (Galtee More)	Review Order.	Thistle Bud.	Dignity.	—	Kentish Knock or Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
S. Life and Sportsman	Review Order.	Bright Maid.	Evander.*	Blackmoor.	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
Man on the Spot	Lex; if ab., Review Order.	Thistle Bud.	Evander.*	Blackmoor.	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
Westminster Gazette	F. Darling's selected.	Burnt Sienna.	Linkman.	Blackmoor.	Saucy Sue.	—
Daily Mirror	Lex.	Burnt Sienna.	Warden of the Marches.	Blackmoor.	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
Daily Graphic	Anne Clifford.	Burnt Sienna.	Dignity.	Urgent.	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue.
Star	Lex.	Conde.	Warden of the Marches.*	Blackmoor.	Kentish Knock.	Saucy Sue.
Evening News	Anne Clifford.	Dusky Brave.	Frater.*	Blackmoor.	Conquistador.*	Saucy Sue.
Evening Standard	Lex.	Burnt Sienna.	Frater.	Blackmoor.	Kentish Knock.	Saucy Sue.
Daily Mail	Anne Clifford.	Dusky Brave.	Warden of the Marches.	Blackmoor.*	Runnymede.	Saucy Sue.
Times	Review Order.	Burnt Sienna.	Despatch.	Blackmoor.	Conquistador.	Saucy Sue; if ab., Miss Gadabout.

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FINANCIAL NEWS.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN BUSIER.

COURTAULDS VERY STRONG.

With the usual few exceptions, the Dublin Stock and Share markets proved disappointing in tendency and in the volume of dealing current. It was often, of course, only a case of a little sale pressure countered by the temporary absence of buying orders except at concessions. Holiday influences were again generally dominant in curtailing operations of any kind except in a few specialities. National Loan was steady, but British Funds varied a little. War Loan 5 p.c. and Funding Loan were easier, but Conversion 3½ p.c. Stock was good. Banks show a few trifling alterations.

There was distinct, but limited, selling pressure in Guinness Ordinary Shares on fears that the final dividend statement may disappoint recent market operators, who some time ago forced prices to 68 for cash and 69½, 70 for August delivery, and, in consequence, the market on the eve of the dividend statement appeared nervous. We have no doubt the accounts will, as always, satisfy investment holders as to the solid basis of the company's business prosperity, while preserving the reputation of the concern for finance on the most conservative lines.

Grand Canal Shares were sellers. Marconis were idle. Home Rails were almost neglected again, but Pre-Ord., like Debs. and Guaranteed, were scarce. Dublin United Tramway Ord. further advanced on lease reports, but nothing definite has yet been decided pending modification of suggested terms. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were the turn lower, the rally of the previous day bringing out more shares. Parent Trust issues fluctuated. Courtaulds were again bought heavily, with the final price here the best of the day. Textiles better in most cases, but Thread Shares, like Coats and Cottons, could only be realised at slight concessions. Tobaccos were rather firm, with Imperials freely absorbed at a slight gain. Lever Bros. were steady, though the 7 p.c. Pref. eased a trifle. Hibernian Fire were offered freely at last price, and to effect business sellers were content to accept a concession of a few pence. Hugh Moore and Alexander Shares were flat. Radio Corporation Common Shares were sellers at a lower price.

LONDON STOCKS HEAVY.

ENGLISH RAILWAY DIVIDENDS.

A heavy tone prevailed in several sections of the London Stock Markets yesterday, owing to the continued uncertainty of the labour outlook. Business remained on a small scale, the near approach of the August holiday having a restricting influence. A slightly easier tone was noticeable in the gild-edged market, and prices were easier where any alteration was recorded. The New South African 5 per Cent. Loan proved to have been over-subscribed, the larger applicants receiving slightly less than full allotment. Dealings commenced in the Scrip at ½ prem. With the price for spot Rubber declining further to 3s. 8d. per pound, Rubber Shares were again on the downward trend, and prices, with a few exceptions, were marked to distinctly lower levels. A generally steady tone was maintained in Foreign Government Stocks. Home Rails fell away sharply as a result of the reduction in the interim dividend of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway. Last year 3 per cent. was paid on the Ord. Stock, but the dividend now announced is only 2½ per cent. The Southern Railway, however, maintained their half-yearly dividend, which is at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Most issues were easier at the commencement, and a further sharp fall occurred after the Midland dividend was announced. An extremely quiet tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and final quotations were not altered to any extent. Among Textiles, Courtaulds were again active, and after easing slightly they rallied and finished firm. Oils were rather neglected, and prices exhibited a downward tendency.

WATNEY COMBE RESULTS.

In the comparative statement of results of Watney Combe, Reid and Co., Ltd., which appeared in our yesterdays issue, the net trading profit for 1925 of £1,352,354 was given as the gross profit, which was £1,891,054, or an increase of £411,360 over the gross figure for 1923-24.

DANISH LOANS.

The Danish recently authorised 5 per Cent. 60 million kroner Home State Loan is offered to the public on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

A New York telegram says:—The 5½ per Cent. 30 million dollar Loan, recently contracted by the Danish Government with the Guaranty Trust Company, was offered to the public for subscription yesterday at 99½ per cent., and was fully subscribed in two hours.

BELGRAVE COTTON MILLS, OLDHAM.

Mr. William Greenwood, M.P. for Stockport, states that he has not resigned his position as chairman and managing director of the Belgrave Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., Oldham, but was, on Tuesday, dismissed from the position by the Board. He makes this announcement, he says, to remove the likely impression from the reports that he was avoiding his responsibilities.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles quiet, with an easier tendency. Bleachers, 65/6-66/-; do. Pref., 21/6-22/-; Calicos, 34/-34/3; do. Pref., 17/6-18/-; Dyers, 76/6-77/-; do. Pref., 19/6-19/9; Cottons, 57/-58/-; do. Pref., 18/9-19/3; Spinners, 48/-49/-; do. Pref., 19/9-19/-; "Slubbers," 7/-7/6; Coats, 60/-61/-; Ship Canal, 8¼-8¾; do. Pref., 8¼-8¾; Velvets, 26/-27/-.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors still quiet and dull. Calcotts down to 7/6. Standards heavy. Humbers easier. Dunlops plentiful, and slowly receded. Austins, 5/9; do. Debs., 92½; Bluemels, 35/3; Components, 3/1½; S.T.D., 3/6; Enfields, 28/3; Humbers, 35/1½; Napiers, 33/-; do. Pref., 20/-; Rolls Royce, 29/3; Rovers, 10/-; Singers, 42/-; Standards, 42/-; Swifts, 7/3; Triumphs, 34/3; Vauxhalls, 6/9; Dunlops, 17/9; Parent Def., 39/6.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BROMPTON AND KENSINGTON ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.—Interim dividends on Ord. shares at 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, and on Preference at 7 per cent. per annum, less tax.

BENN BROTHERS.—Dividend of 17½ per cent. per annum, less tax.

CITY OF BUENOS AYRES TRAMWAYS CO.—Dividend of 1/3 per share, less tax, for three months ending June 30 last.

CELLULOSE HOLDINGS AND INVESTMENT CO.—Dividend of 6d. per share, free of tax.

CHELSEA ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.—Interim dividend at rate of 9 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ord.

COURAGE AND CO.—Interim dividend at rate of 12 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ord. Shares.

GOVERNMENT GOLD MINING AREAS.—Dividend of 32½ per cent.

HOLBORN AND FRASCATI.—Interim dividends for the half-year ended June 30 last on the Pref. Shares at rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on the Ordinary Shares of 8 per cent. per annum, both less tax.

HERBERT GREEN AND CO., LTD.—Final dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary Shares.

IMPROVED INDUSTRIAL DWELLINGS.—Dividends of 2½ per cent. on Ord. Stock and Deferred Shares, free of tax.

I. J. AND G. COOPER.—Dividend of 10 per cent. actual, less tax, for year on Ord. Shares.

JEREMIAH ROTHERAM AND CO.—Interim dividend on Ord. at rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

LANGLAAGTE ESTATE AND GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 2½ per cent.

LONDON MIDLAND AND SCOTTISH RAILWAY.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., as compared with 3 per cent. last year.

NEW STATE AREAS.—Dividend of 7½ per cent.

PLUMMER RODDIS.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ord. Shares.

RANDFONTEIN ESTATES GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent.

SHEFFIELD PURE ICE AND COLD STORAGE.—Dividend at rate of 8 per cent. per annum, tax free.

SPENCER, TURNER AND BOLDERO.—Interim dividends for the half-year to 15th July, 1925, at rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the Pref. Shares and at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares.

SARAWAK RUBBER.—Interim dividend for year of 10 per cent., less tax.

SEMBILAN ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on both classes of shares.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY (OF ENGLAND).—Interim dividend for the first half of the year 1925 on the Pref. Ordinary Stock at rate of 5 per cent. for year (2½ per cent. for half-year). This is the same as a year ago.

SEMENYIH RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

VAN RYN DEEP.—Dividend of 27½ per cent.

WITWATERSRAND GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent.

OIL OUTPUT.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions.—Production for the week ended July 25 was—La Rosa, 3,729 m. tons, previous week (ended July 18), 4,683 m. tons; Maracaibo District, 1,941 m. tons, previous week 1,901 m. tons. The drop in La Rosa production is accounted for by a strike of native labour, which commenced on July 21. The strike has now been settled, and work has been resumed.

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...and Miss H. O'Reilly beat M. Sugden ...Chambers—6-4, 6-3.
Third Round.
...and Mrs. S. F. Scroope beat E. S. ...and Mrs. Tomlinson—7-9, 6-3, 6-1.

...SINGLES, CLASS A.—First Round (Con... ...W. Woods (1) beat R. F. Cherry ...—7-5, 6-3. Second Round—E. Fannin ...E. M. Luce (2)—7-3, 4-6, 3-3 (retired); ...ond (4) beat G. A. Kennedy (3)—7-9, ...A. D. Pringle (4) beat W. Deverill ...2, 6-4. Third Round—G. W. Kennedy ...C. S. Almond (4)—4-6, 6-3, 6-3; ...Wells (5) beat C. W. Blair-White (scr.)— ...6-0.

...SINGLES, CLASS B.—Second Round—A. ...(minus 2) beat J. C. Ridgeway (5)—6-2, ...Third Round—A. H. Walsh, w.o.; R. C. ...scr.

...S' SINGLES, CLASS A.—First Round ...ed)—Miss M. Daly (minus 3) beat Miss ...(scr.)—2-6, 6-3, 7-5. Second Round— ...(1) beat Miss M. V. Gray (4)—6-3, 7-5; ...(minus 5) beat Mrs. West (minus ...6-2, 6-4; Miss P. Boyd (15.2) beat Miss ...(15.1)—7-5, 6-2; Miss R. Wallis ...(5) beat Miss Bradbury (3)—7-5, 6-4.

...S' SINGLES, CLASS B.—Third Round ...ed)—Miss S. Murphy (1) beat Miss G. ...(minus 5)—6-3, 6-2. Fourth Round—Miss ...lin (minus 3) beat Miss Roantree (15)— ...Miss G. Mahony (15) beat Miss J. ...(4)—7-5, 6-2; Miss Clear (3) beat Miss ...(minus 3)—6-4, 6-4; Miss S. Murphy (1) ...E. Caulfield (15.4)—6-1, 6-3.

TO-DAY'S PROGRAMME.

...—Misses N. Stoker and N. Daly v. Mrs. ...hite and Miss O'Reilly (C.), Mrs. Hall v. ...Rounds, Mrs. Tomlinson v. Miss H. ...—P. A. Ryan and Mrs. Rounds v. H. J. ...O'Reilly (C.); Mrs. Scroope and Mrs. ...hite v. Misses Kelly and Blanche, Miss ...v. Miss R. Wallis, A. H. Walsh v. J. Gage, ...v. Miss G. Mahony, Miss S. Murphy v. ...Laughlin, B. C. Waller and Miss K. E. ...Mr. and Mrs. Racquet ("A."). ...—Misses Jackson and H. Wallis v. Mrs. ...and Mrs. Tomlinson (C.), C. S. Wallis v. ...Hornidge (C.), G. A. Kennedy and Miss ...M. Sugden and Miss Chambers, E. W. ...and Miss N. Stoker v. Winners of "A." ...—H. J. O'Reilly and Miss E. Martin v. ...Mrs. A. Blair White ("B."), T. F. Gregg ...Warren, Miss M. Daly v. Miss G. Cairnes, ...chardson v. Miss P. Boyd, Misses Jackson ...Wallis v. Misses T. Stoker and S. Murphy, ...Gray, G. W. Kennedy v. E. Fannin. ...—Mrs. Rounds and Mrs. Beatty v. Misses ...and N. Stoker, P. A. Ryan and Miss ...D. A. Tyndall and Miss Pearson, M. ...and Miss G. Mahony v. N. Kennedy and ...Tyndall, M. Sugden and E. J. Gregg ...pbell and E. W. Tomlinson, T. F. Gregg ...Stacpoole v. Winners of "B." ...her competitors must be on the ground ...

...DOWNE JUVENILE TOURNAMENT

...postponed final of the Girls' Handicap ...was decided last evening at Lansdowne ...beautiful weather. ...IRLS' HANDICAP DOUBLES.—Final. ...W. Foster and Miss V. Mahony (scr.) beat ...Rogers and Miss A. Gough (minus 15).

...BRIGHT TOURNAMENT, U.S.A.

SEABRIGHT (N.J.), Thursday. ...the semi-finals of the Women's Lawn Tennis ...here to-day Miss Helen Wills defeated Mrs. ...6-1, 6-0, and Miss E. Ryan defeated Miss ...Browne, 4-6, 6-2, 6-4.

...NT TEMPLE CLUB.—American tournament, ...3rd August, 11 o'clock. Entries close to-...

...N PLAYER AND SONS.—Following will re... ...the Dublin factory in the tennis match v. ...gham factory at Aspley lane, Nottingham: ...row—C. Klingner, J. H. D. Fidler, A. H. ...E. K. Rohane, V. Egan, C. H. Hayden, ...G. W. T. Robertson.

...DYCOVE CLUB.—The annual "at home" ...ld on Saturday last, when the club finals were ...with the following results:—Ladies' Cham... ...in—Miss Winnear beat Miss Bath (holder), ...6-2. Men's Championship—P. Murray beat ...rrill, 6-1, 6-1, 1-6, 2-6, 8-6. Ladies' Doubles ...es Thompson and Conway beat Misses Bath ...Holbert, 6-4, 2-6, 6-1. Men's Doubles— ...Smyth and J. Hart beat Messrs. Nelson and ...2-6, 6-2, 7-5. Mixed Doubles—J. Fulton ...Miss Carroll beat A. Pennycook and Mrs ...n, 8-6, 4-6, 6-2.

GOLF.

...THERNHAM.—July medals. Class I.—D. ...llins (4), 79; D. R. Pigott (6), 79; J. ...n (12), 85. Pigott won on play-off. Class ...Crumplin (19), 72; C. J. MacDougald (20), ...H. Wisdom (22), 76. ...VEDERE COLLEGE UNION G.S.—The com... ...held at Woodbrook for silver cup, pre... ...by a member of the Committee, resulted as ...—Dermod Walsh (9), 74, cup; James ...(22), 77, winner of sweepstake; Dr. Louis ...ony (24), 83. Twenty-five members com...

...WTH.—To-morrow 5th qualifying round ...cup. Monday: Forenoon, men's singles ...; afternoon, mixed foursomes. ...ODBROOK.—An open competition v. bogey ...held on Monday for valuable prizes. ...TLE.—Monday, 3rd August. Morning—Four... ...bogey, sweepstakes 11.30—Ladies' 9-hole ...ses. Afternoon—Mixed foursomes. Arrange... ...es and opponents. ...LINEY.—To-day—Aggregate score. Draw ...30 and 3 o'clock for those who have not ...

...RISH MERCHANT TAILORS' G.S.—Result ...mpetition for prizes presented by the Presi... ...Mr. John F. Scott), held at Dollymount on ...y—J. Dallas (12), 75; James Boyd (15), ...Dunseith (11), 82; V. Dallas (13), 83; R. ...(9), 83; J. Jones (23), 84; E. J. M'William ...84.

TRAMORE GOLF CLUB
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11th to 19th SEPTEMBER. —(Advt.)

HORSES FOR CANADA.

...nty Irish racehorses and six Clydesdales, ...at close on £13,000, were embarked on the ...Metagoma, at Glasgow, yesterday after... ...for Canada. The racehorses are for dis... ...ion over the Canadian studs in the endeavour ...ove Canada as a centre in the horse... ...world. The six Clydesdales are cons... ...one of the best groups ever to leave Scot... ...and include a stallion, second at the Royal ...and Buchan Voucher, twice first at the ...and Show.

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FINANCIAL NEWS AND NOTES.

TONE AND COMMENT.

DUBLIN BUSIER.

COURTAULDS VERY STRONG.

With the usual few exceptions, the Dublin Stock and Share markets proved disappointing in tendency and in the volume of dealing current. It was often, of course, only a case of a little sale pressure countered by the temporary absence of buying orders except at concessions. Holiday influences were again generally dominant in curtailing operations of any kind except in a few specialities. National Loan was steady, but British Funds varied a little. War Loan 5 p.c. and Funding Loan were easier, but Conversion 3½ p.c. Stock was good. Banks show a few trifling alterations.

There was distinct, but limited, selling pressure in Guinness Ordinary Shares on fears that the final dividend statement may disappoint recent market operators, who some time ago forced prices to 68 for cash and 69½, 70 for August delivery, and, in consequence, the market on the eve of the dividend statement appeared nervous. We have no doubt the accounts will, as always, satisfy investment holders as to the solid basis of the company's business prosperity, while preserving the reputation of the concern for finance on the most conservative lines.

Grand Canal Shares were sellers. Marconis were idle. Home Rails were almost neglected again, but Pre-Ord., like Debs. and Guaranteed, were scarce. Dublin United Tramway Ord. further advanced on lease reports, but nothing definite has yet been decided pending modification of suggested terms. Dunlop Rubber Ord. were the turn lower, the rally of the previous day bringing out more shares. Parent Trust issues fluctuated. Courtaulds were again bought heavily, with the final price here the best of the day. Textiles better in most cases, but Thread Shares, like Coats and Cottons, could only be realised at slight concessions. Tobaccos were rather firm, with Imperials freely absorbed at a slight gain. Lever Bros. were steady, though the 7 p.c. Pref. eased a trifle. Hibernian Fire were offered freely at last price, and to effect business sellers were content to accept a concession of a few pence. Hugh Moore and Alexander Shares were flat. Radio Corporation Common Shares were sellers at a lower price.

LONDON STOCKS HEAVY.

ENGLISH RAILWAY DIVIDENDS.

A heavy tone prevailed in several sections of the London Stock Markets yesterday, owing to the continued uncertainty of the labour outlook. Business remained on a small scale, the near approach of the August holiday having a restricting influence. A slightly easier tone was noticeable in the gild-edged market, and prices were easier where any alteration was recorded. The New South African 5-per Cent. Loan proved to have been oversubscribed, the larger applicants receiving slightly less than full allotment. Dealings commenced in the Scrip at ⅛ prem. With the price for spot Rubber declining further to 3s. 8d. per pound, Rubber Shares were again on the downward trend, and prices, with a few exceptions, were marked to distinctly lower levels. A generally steady tone was maintained in Foreign Government Stocks. Home Rails fell away sharply as a result of the reduction in the interim dividend of the London, Midland and Scottish Railway. Last year 3 per cent. was paid on the Ord. Stock, but the dividend now announced is only 2½ per cent. The Southern Railway, however, maintained their half-yearly dividend, which is at the rate of 5 per cent. per annum. Most issues were easier at the commencement, and a further sharp fall occurred after the Midland dividend was announced. An extremely quiet tone ruled in Colonial and Foreign Rails, and final quotations were not altered to any extent. Among Textiles, Courtaulds were again active, and after easing slightly they rallied and finished firm. Oils were rather neglected, and prices exhibited a downward tendency.

WATNEY COMBE RESULTS.

In the comparative statement of results of Watney Combe, Reid and Co., Ltd., which appeared in our yesterdays issue, the net trading profit for 1925 of £1,352,354 was given as the gross profit, which was £1,891,054, or an increase of £411,360 over the gross figure for 1923-24.

DANISH LOANS.

The Danish recently authorised 5 per Cent. 60 million kroner Home State Loan is offered to the public on Thursday, Friday and Saturday.

A New York telegram says:—The 5½ per Cent. 30 million dollar Loan, recently contracted by the Danish Government with the Guaranty Trust Company, was offered to the public for subscription yesterday at 99½ per cent., and was fully subscribed in two hours.

BELGRAVE COTTON MILLS, OLDHAM.

Mr. William Greenwood, M.P. for Stockport, states that he has not resigned his position as chairman and managing director of the Belgrave Cotton Mills Co., Ltd., Oldham, but was, on Tuesday, dismissed from the position by the Board. He makes this announcement, he says, to remove the likely impression from the reports that he was avoiding his responsibilities.

PROVINCIAL EXCHANGES.

MANCHESTER.—Textiles quiet, with an easier tendency. Bleachers, 65/6-66/-; do. Pref., 21/6-22/-; Calicos, 34/-34/3; do. Pref., 17/6-18/-; Dyers, 76/6-77/-; do. Pref., 19/6-19/9; Cottons, 57/-58/-; do. Pref., 18/9-19/3; Spinners, 48/-49/-; do. Pref., 19/9-19/-; "Slubbers," 7/-7/6; Coats, 60/-61/-; Ship Canal, 8¼-8½; do. Pref., 8¼-8¾; Velvets, 26/-27/-.

BIRMINGHAM.—Motors still quiet and dull. Calcotts down to 7/6. Standards heavy. Humbers easier. Dunlops plentiful, and slowly receded. Austins, 5/9; do. Debs., 92½; Bluemels, 35/3; Components, 3/1½; S.T.D., 3/6; Enfields, 28/3; Humbers, 35/1½; Napiers, 33/-; do. Pref., 20/-; Rolls Royce, 29/3; Rovers, 10/-; Singers, 42/-; Standards, 42/-; Swifts, 7/3; Triumphs, 34/3; Vauxhalls, 6/9; Dunlops, 17/9; Parent Def., 39/6.

DIVIDENDS AND REPORTS.

BROMPTON AND KENSINGTON ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.—Interim dividends on Ord. shares at 10 per cent. per annum, free of tax, and on Preference at 7 per cent. per annum, less tax.

BENN BROTHERS.—Dividend of 17½ per cent. per annum, less tax.

CITY OF BUENOS AYRES TRAMWAYS CO.—Dividend of 1/3 per share, less tax, for three months ending June 30 last.

CELLULOSE HOLDINGS AND INVESTMENT CO.—Dividend of 6d. per share, free of tax.

CHELSEA ELECTRICITY SUPPLY.—Interim dividend at rate of 9 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ord.

COURAGE AND CO.—Interim dividend at rate of 12 per cent. per annum, less tax, on Ord. Shares.

GOVERNMENT GOLD MINING AREAS.—Dividend of 32½ per cent.

HOLBORN AND FRASCATI.—Interim dividends for the half-year ended June 30 last on the Pref. Shares at rate of 5 per cent. per annum, and on the Ordinary Shares of 8 per cent. per annum, both less tax.

HERBERT GREEN AND CO., LTD.—Final dividend of 5 per cent. on Ordinary Shares.

IMPROVED INDUSTRIAL DWELLINGS.—Dividends of 2½ per cent. on Ord. Stock and Deferred Shares, free of tax.

J. J. AND G. COOPER.—Dividend of 10 per cent. actual, less tax, for year on Ord. Shares.

JEREMIAH ROTHERAM AND CO.—Interim dividend on Ord. at rate of 10 per cent. per annum.

LANGLAAGTE ESTATE AND GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 2½ per cent.

LONDON MIDLAND AND SCOTTISH RAILWAY.—Interim dividend of 2½ per cent., as compared with 3 per cent. last year.

NEW STATE AREAS.—Dividend of 7½ per cent.

PLUMMER RODDIS.—Interim dividend at rate of 6 per cent., less tax, on Ord. Shares.

RANDFONTEIN ESTATES GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent.

SHEFFIELD PURE ICE AND COLD STORAGE.—Dividend at rate of 8 per cent. per annum, tax free.

SPENCER, TURNER AND BOLDERO.—Interim dividends for the half-year to 15th July, 1925, at rate of 6 per cent. per annum on the Pref. Shares, and at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum on the Ord. Shares.

SARAWAK RUBBER.—Interim dividend for year of 10 per cent., less tax.

SEMBILAN ESTATES.—Interim dividend of 7½ per cent., less tax, on both classes of shares.

SOUTHERN RAILWAY (OF ENGLAND).—Interim dividend for the first half of the year 1925 on the Pref. Ordinary Stock at rate of 5 per cent. for year (2½ per cent. for half-year). This is the same as a year ago.

SEMENYIH RUBBER.—Dividend of 5 per cent., less tax.

VAN RYN DEEP.—Dividend of 27½ per cent.

WITWATERSRAND GOLD MINING CO.—Dividend of 5 per cent.

OIL OUTPUT.

Venezuelan Oil Concessions.—Production for the week ended July 25 was—La Rosa, 3,729 m. tons, previous week (ended July 18), 4,683 m. tons; Maracaibo District, 1,941 m. tons, previous week 2,201 m. tons. The drop in La Rosa production is accounted for by a strike of native labour, which commenced on July 21. The strike has now been settled, and work has been resumed.

LONDON MOVEMENTS.

COURTAULDS RISING.

A slightly easier tendency characterised dealings in the gild-edged market. Among War Loans the Fives reacted to 100⅛, or ⅛ lower. Victory Bonds went back to 91½, or ⅛ down. Indias were steady, as were Local Loans.

Little alteration occurred in the Foreign Government stock market, but here and there a slightly easier tendency was noticeable. French Loans remained firm at 16, and 12½ for the Fives and Fours, respectively. Reconstruction Loans were the turn lower, Greek Sevens losing ¼, while Hungarian 7½ p.c. were also ¼ below the previous quotation. Portuguese 3 p.c. dropped ½ to 27½. Turkish Unified, on the other hand, finished ½ to the good at 16½.

RAILS WEAK.

Home Rails opened on an uncertain note, and when the reduction in the Midland dividend was known prices fell away further. Great Westerns shed 1½ points to 88, while Midlands at 80 were also 1½ down. North-Eastern 5 p.c. Pref. Ord. at 61½, and the Def. Ord. at 21½, both lost ½, while the 4 p.c. 1st Pref. at 70 were a full point below the overnight quotation. Metropolitan Cons. eased ⅛ to 69½, but Districts were maintained at 45. Southern Pref. Ord. at 77½, the Def. Ord. at 40, and the "A" shares at 37½, were all ½ lower. Underground issues were steady and unaltered.

Colonial and Foreign were quiet, and little alteration was marked. Canpacs dropped back to 146, or a point down, while Cordoba Central 1st Pref. at 55 were ½ down. United Havana also shed ½, the final level being 97½. Grand Trunks were quiet and unchanged, while Mexicans were also repeated at previous values.

RUBBER SHARES LOWER.

An easier tone again characterised the Rubber share market, while the volume of business put through remained on a small scale. The market for the raw material was also in a rather weak condition and the quotation for spot eased to 3s. 8d. per lb. Price changes in the Share market were numerous, but while a few issues finished the day showing a small margin in favour of holders the majority of movements were against holders. Anglo-Sumatra shed 2s. to 70s., while Buntar, at 25s., were also 2s. lower. Glenbervie slipped back to 39s. 6d., or 1s. 9d. down, while Golden Hope, at 32s. 6d., were 2s. 6d. down. Langkat Sumatra shed 1s. 1½d. to 41s. 1½d. Manchester North Borneo were a dull market at a loss of 2s. on the day to 33s. x.d. North Hummock shed 1s. 6d., and Mooply Valley 1s., while Pegoh fell away to 52s. 6d., or 1s. 9d. lower. Serdang Central were quoted as low as 35s. Sungei Krian Pref. shed 1s. 7½d., and Tandjong lost 1s. 3d. Un Sua Betong new shares, at 80s., were 2s. 6d. lower. B.N.B.R. Trust, on the other hand, improved to 15s. 4½d., or 3d. to the good, while Highlands, at 46s. 3d., and Java Amalgamated, at 34s. 1½d., were 1s. 3d. and 7½d. higher respectively. Sumatra Consolidated jumped to 36s. 3d., or 1s. 1½d. higher on the day.

OIL SHARES DULL.

A dull tone ruled throughout the Oil market yesterday. Lack of public interest, coupled with a feeling of uncertainty in connection with the coal negotiations, contributed towards the all-round fall in quotations. There were other factors, however, contributory to movements in certain counters. Rumanians were easier on the news of a serious fire in Standard Oil property, with doubt as to how far the damage has spread. British-Controlled were subject to some selling pressure, and, although closing above the worst, finished an uncertain market. V.O.C. came on offer, the usual progress return being a poor one. Mexican Eagles made some show of strength. Trading in Shells was of moderate proportions, with further inquiry for the bearer shares, and, although ruling steady at 4⅛ for the greater part of the day, closed ⅛ easier at 4⅛. Royal Dutch continued to sag, and in the entire absence of support lost another ⅛ to 32½, although the bulk of business in them was transacted around 32½.

INDUSTRIALS UNCERTAIN.

With the less favourable news regarding the coal dispute, it was not surprising to find Miscellaneous and Industrial markets uncertain yesterday. There was, however, no pressure to sell, in the absence of which prices generally kept fairly steady. Following the publication of the excellent report, Watney Def. found fresh support, which in the earlier dealings took the price to 300. Profit-taking was encountered, causing a slight set-back, so that the stock finished at 297½, but 7 better on balance. Elsewhere in Breweries prices were well maintained, though Guinness proved an exception, falling 10 to 640. A.B.C.'s were a trifle easier among Caterers at 26s. 6d., and in the Refreshment group Schweppes Def. continued on offer, falling 6d. to 35s. Maypole Def. lost the turn at 5s. 10½d. Cement descriptions lost part of their recent improvement; Associated and British Portland both fell 6d. to 13s. 9d. and 27s. 6d., respectively, while the Prefs. of the former eased to 16s. 1½d. United Alkalis were under the influence of the postponement of the interim dividend, and closed ⅛ down at 1⅜. Dunlops eased slightly to 17s. 10½d. A feature among Tobaccos are Godfrey Phillips, which, on dividend anticipations, found fresh support and left off ⅛ better at 24⅛. A. Bakers moved up 6d. to 33s. 6d., though British-Americans lost that much at 103s. 6d. Imperials ruled steady at 98s. 3d. Under the lead of Johnson and Phillips, which, in response to a renewed demand, rose sharply to 44s., at which they showed an advance of 2s. 6d., Electrical Manufacturing Shares developed fresh strength. Siemens Bros. hardened to 26s. 3d., and Generals to 24s. Shipping Securities held their ground. Profit-taking was in progress among leading Textiles, and resulted in losses of 1s. in Bleachers to 64s. and 1s. 6d. in Fine Spinners to 48s. to 76s., and 1s. 6d. in Fine Spinners to 48s. "Slubbers" lost the turn at 7s. 3d. Among Artificial Silk Shares, Courtaulds were uncertain, and after fluctuating between 113s. and 115s., left off 2s. down on balance at the lower figure. Listers receded to 30s. Cellulose Holdings report and increased dividend came to hand too late to have any effect. The Wireless group continued featureless. Insurances ruled steady at previous levels.

DUBLIN PRICE CHANGES.

GUINNESS STILL SLIPPING. COURTAULDS AGAIN BOUGHT. DUBLIN TRAMS RISING. THREAD SHARES EASING.

Government National Loan repeated 95½.

In British Funds, Conversion 3½ p.c. rose ½ to 77½, but Funding Loan fell ⅜ to 88⅛. War Loan 5 p.c. opened ⅛ easier, but closed unaltered at 100⅛. Consols repeated 56, and Irish Land 3 p.c. 62⅞.

Among Banking securities, Nationals rose ⅛ to 20⅛, but Provincials fell ½ to 22⅝ x.d., and Hibernians ⅛ to 8, while Munster and Leinsters repeated 7⅛ x.d.

The feature in Breweries was the temorary absence of support, except at lower levels, for Guinness Ord. Shares, and, with limited sale pressure, the prices registered were 64, 63⅞ ⅝ ⅛, a fresh fall of ⅝; but Dublin Distillers Ord. repeated 26s. for a small lot.

Grand Canal Ord. fell 5s. to 30s., and the Pref. 6d. to 62s. 6d. British and Irish Steam Pref. were quiet at 13s.

Among Home Rails, Great Southern repeated 20⅛, but the Pref. slumped a further 1 to 32, while the Guaranteed and Deb. Stocks were very scarce, and did not offer at or near last business done levels.

Active bidding was available for Dublin United Tramway Ord., and the price moved up a further ⅛ to 7 7⅛.

Dunlop Rubber Ord. fell 3d. to 17s. 10½d., and the New were called again 17s. 3d.-17s. 6d. unofficially. Parent Trust Def. rose 6d. to 40s., but the Pref., having fallen 3d. to 15s. 3d., closed at 15s. 4½d.

Alliance Gas Shares repeated 6⅛; and in Bakery issues, Bolands Debs. repeated 6½.

In Drapery Shares, Crowe Wilson Pref. rose 6d. to 14s. 6d., but an odd lot of Arnott Debs. was picked up at 6⅛, or ⅛ under previous quotation.

As regards Manufacturing Shares, Courtaulds were again the outstanding feature, and rose a further 2s. 3d. to 113s. 9d., 114s., 114s. 3d., 114s. 6d., 115s. 6d., 115s. 9d., 116s. Bleachers rose a further 6d. to 66s. 3d. Bradford Dyers were bid for, but did not offer. Coats opened 3d. lower at 60s., but later 60s. 3d. was again paid. The "B" 6 p.c. £1 Pref. relapsed 10½d. to 22s. 6d. Cottons fell 6d. to 56s. 6d. and the Pref. 6d. to 18s. 6d. Imperial Tobaccos were a trifle better at 98s.-97s. 10½d., while British-Americans closed 3d. easier at 104s.-104s. 6d. nominally, and Imperials of Canada also fell 3d. to 25s. 3d. Lever Bros. 7 p.c. Pref. eased 1½d. to 19s. 10½d., and the 8 p.c., after being 1½d. higher at 19s. 9d., closed again at 19s. 7½d.

In Trading, etc., Shares, Hugh Moore and Alexanders Pref. were on offer at 43s., or less, against 45s. the previous marking. Dublin Artisans Dwellings repeated 6½. Hibernian Fire fell 3d. to 8s. 6d.

Radio Common fell ⅛ to 10⅛, and the Preferred repeated 9⅞.

BUSINESS DONE AT ALL SESSIONS.

National Loan	(95½) 95½	Arnott Deb.	(6⅜) *6⅛
Consols	(56) 56	Crowe Pref.	(14/-) 14/6
5% War Loan	(100⅛) 100⅛ *⅛	Bleachers	(65/9) 66/3
Funding Loan	(88⅛) 88⅛	Coats	(60/3) 60/- /3
Conver. Loan	(76⅞) 77⅛	Do. B Pf.	(23/4½) 22/6
3% Land	(62⅞) 62⅞	Cottons	(57/-) 56/6
Hibernian Bank	(8⅛) 8	Do. Pref.	(19/-) 18/6
Mun. & Lein.	(7⅛) 7⅛	Courtaulds	(113/7½) 113/9 14/- /3 /6 15/6 /9 16/-
National	(20⅛) 20⅛	B.A.T.	(104/6) 104/-b 104/6a
Provincial	(23⅛) 22⅝	Imp. Tob.	(97/9) 98/- 7/10½
Dublin Distillers	(26/-) *26/-	Do. Canada	(25/6) *25/3
Guinness	(64⅛) *64 3⅞ ⅝ ⅛	Lever 7%	(20/-) 19/10½
B. & I. Steam	(13/-) 13/-	Do. 8%	(19/7½) 19/9 /7½
Canal Ord.	(35/-) 30/-	Moore (Hugh) Pref.	(45/-) 43/-a
Do. Pref.	(63/-) 62/6	Artisans' Dwellings	(6½) *6½
G.S. Ord.	(20⅛) 20⅛	Hibernian Fire	(8/9) 8/6
Do. Pref.	(33) *32	Dunlops	(18/-) 17/10½
Do. Guar.	(44) 44½b	Radio Common	10⅛
Dublin Tram.	(6⅞) *7 ⅛	Do. Pref.	9⅞
Parent Def.	(39/6) 40/-		
Do. Pf.	(15/6) 15/3 /4½		
Alliance Gas	(6⅛) 6⅛		
Bolands Deb.	(6½) 6½		

* Odd lot, b bid, a asked, c cash.
(Last business done given in parentheses.)

IRISH BANKS' RATE.

Discount .... 6 p.c. 5th March, 1925.
Deposit .... 2½ p.c. 5th March, 1925.

STOCK EXCHANGE SETTLEMENTS.

Mining contango day	Aug. 10	Aug. 24
General contango day	Aug. 11	Aug. 25
Ticket day	Aug. 12	Aug. 26
Account day	Aug. 13	Aug. 27

LATEST CLOSING AND STREET PRICES.

CONSOLS, ETC.

Consols	56-57	4½% Conv. Ln.	95-96
War Ln. 3½%	87½-87¾	5% Treas. Bds.	101¼-101½
do. 4½%	98-99	Irish Lnd. 2¾%	57-59
do. 5%	100¼-100⅛ —⅛	India 3½%	57½-58½
do. 4% (Tax Free)	100¼-100¾	do. 3½%	66¾-67¾
Fund'g L'n	88-89	do. 5½%	101-102
Victory Bds.	91½-91¾ —⅛	do. 7%	104-105
3½% Conv. Ln.	76¾-77¾	Local Lns.	65-66
		Sudan 5½%	106-108

COLONIAL GOVERNMENT STOCKS.

Aust. Com. 5½%	99-101	Nigeria 6%	111-113
do. 6%	103-105	Q'sland 4,1940-60	81-83
Brit. Col. 4½ 1941	93-95	do. 6% 1930-40	101-103*
Canada 4%	87-89	S. Africa 4% Cns	86-88
do. 4½ 1920-5	99½-100½	do. 6%	103-105
Cape 3½ Cons.	77-79	S.A'stri'n 4,'40-60	81-83
Ceylon 6%	105-107	do. 6½%	103-105
N.S.W. 4½ '22-7	97-99	Victoria 4,'40-60	84-86
do. 5½ 1927-[illegible]	99-101	do. 5½% 1923-8	100-2
do. 5½ 1930-40	103-5	W.Aus 5% '35-45	99-101
N. Zeal'd 4, '29	95-97	do. 6% 1930-40	101-3

BANKS.

Anglo S. Amer	7-7½	Lloyds	61/9-62/3*
Australasia	13¼-14¼ —⅛	Midland	8¼-8¾
Bank N.S.W.	38½-39½	Nat. Dis. B	8½-9
Do. N. Z.	2⅞-2⅞	Nat Prov £20	11⅛-11⅝ —⅛
Barclays A	7⅞-8*	Royal of Can	47-49
Brit. Overseas	2⅞-3⅛	Stand. S.A.	10¾-11¼
Can. of Com.	41½-42½	Un. Australia	15-15½
Char. of India	19⅛-20	Westminster	18⅛-18⅝
Hong Kong	137-140 —½		

FOREIGN BONDS.

M.U.—July 21.				
99½	Argentine 1886	99	101	
76½	Do. 4 p.c. Rescessions	76	78	
86½	Do. 5 p.c. 1909	90	92	
45	Brazil 4 p.c. 1889	45	47	
85	Do. Funding 1908	87	89*	
75	Do. 5 p.c. 1914	75	77	
88½	Chinese 5 p.c. 1896	89	91	
75	Do. 4½ p.c. 1898	77	79	
93	Do. 5 p.c. 1912	62	64	
102½	Czecho-Slovakia Bonds	102	104	
82	Egyptian Unified	81	83	
15½	French Loan	15½	16½	
12	Do. 4 p.c.	12	13	
12/9	German 3 p.c.	½	⅞	
88½	German 7 p.c.	86	91	—¾
86½	Greek Loan	90	92	—¾
[illegible]	Hungarian 7½% Ster.	97½	98½	
15	Italian Rentes	14	16*	
86½	Japan 4 p.c. 1905	84	87*	
85½	Do. 5 p.c. 1924	86½	87½*	
35	Mexican 5 p.c. '99	38	40	
[illegible]	Do. 6 p.c. 10-Y. Treas.	35	40	
37½	Peruvian Corporation	3½	4½	
[illegible]	Do. Pref.	32½	33½	
[illegible]	Do. Deb.	97	99	
27½	Portuguese 3 p.c.	26½	28⅛	—⅛
[illegible]	Spanish 4 p.c.	62	66	
16½	Turk Unified	16	17	+⅛
64	Uruguay 3½ p.c.	64½	65½	

BRITISH RAILS.

89¾	Great Western	87½	88¼	—1½
—	Do. Cons. Pref.	94	97	
81¼	Ldn. Mid. & Scot. Ord.	79½	80¼	—1½
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref.	74	76	
—	Do. 4½ p.c. Red. Pref.	99	101	
—	Do. 5 p.c. Red. Pref.	98	100	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Pref., 1923	71	73	
81	Ldn. North-East. 5 p.c. Pref. Ord.	61	62	—½
—	Do. Def. Ord.	21	21½	—½
22	Do. 4 p.c. 1st Pref.	69	71	—1
—	Do. 4 p.c. 2nd Pref.	65	67	
69	Metropolitan	69	70	—½
—	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	93	95	
45¼	Do. District	44¼	45½	
77	Southern Pref. Ord.	77	78	—½
40½	Do. Def. Ord.	39¾	40½	—½
38¼	Do. "A"	37	38	—½
8	Do. "B"	7⅛	8⅛	
2⅞	Underground Electric	2¾	3⅛	
98¼	Do. Income Bonds	97	99	
105	Do. 6 p.c. Debs.	104	106	

COLONIAL AND FOREIGN RAILS.

82	Antofagasta	82¼	84¼	
—	Argentine G.W. Ord.	80	82	
—	Bahia Blanca	79	81	
—	Brazil Railway Common	⅛	⅜	
87¾	Buenos Ayres Gt. S.	87	89	
80	Buenos Ayres and Pacific	80	82	
72½	Buenos Ayres and W.	73	75	
145½	Canadian Pacific	145	147	—1
72¾	Central Argentine	72	74	
66	Central Uruguay	66	68	
14	Cordoba Central	13½	14½	—½
55	Do. 1st Pref.	54	56	
32½	Do. 2nd Pref.	31	33	
34½	Entre Rios	35	37	
—	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	78	80	
—	Grand Trunk Pac. Deb.	39	42	
—	Grand Trunk 4 p.c. Guar.	77	79	
—	Do. 4 p.c. Perp. Deb.	77	79	
30¼	Leopoldina	29½	31⅛	
6½	Mexican Rails	6¼	6⅞	
21½	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	21	23	
10	Do. 6 p.c. Pref.	9½	10½	
157	San Paulo Ord.	158	162	
98	United Havana	96½	98½	—½
—	Uruguay Northern Debs.	22	24	

AMERICAN RAILS.

—	Atchison	123	125*	
—	Baltimore	78	80*	—1
—	Chesapeake	96	98	—1
—	Chicago, Milwaukee	8	10	
—	Erie	28	30	—1
28¾	Do. 1st Pref.	38	40	
—	New York, Ontario	25	27	
—	Southern Common	102	104	—1
104	Do. Pref.	82	84	
—	Southern Pacific	101	103	—1
143¼	Union Pacific	144	146	

TELEGRAPHS.

24	Anglo-American Def.	23½	24½	
1⅛	Marconi Wireless Ord.	1⅞	2⅛	
—	Do. Pref.	102½	103½	
—	Do. Debs.	17/6	18/6	
18/3	Do. Marine	3/10½	4/4½	
4⅛	Do. Canada	2	2¼	
—	Oriental Telephone	10⅛	11⅛	—⅛
11⅝	Radio Corporation	9⅝	10⅛	—⅛
10	Do. Pref. (£50)	9⅝	10⅛	

BREWERIES AND DISTILLERIES.

16/0	Allsopp £1 Shares	¾	⅞	
89	Do. 5 p.c. Pref.	88	91	
—	Bass, Ratcliff 5 p.c. Pref.	85	88	
40/0	Do. Ord.	2⅞	3*	
61/0	Distillers Ord.	630	650	—10
645	Guinness	116	121	
—	Do.	20/9	21/9	
20/3	Peter Walker Ord.	2⅛	2⅜	
45/0	South African Breweries	22/0	23/0*	
21/0	Walker (John) Pref.	295	301	+7
290	Watney Combe Def.			

FOODSTUFFS AND STORES.

26/0	Aerated Bread	26/0	27/0	—0/3
43/6	Bovril Def.	43/0	44/0	
2/0	Crosse and Blackwell	1/10½	2/1½	
18/3	Lipton	17/6	18/6	
3⅛	Lyons (J.)	2⅞	3⅛	
—	Mackintosh (J.) Pref.	24/4½	24/10½	
6/0	Maypole Def.	5/9	6/0	—0/1½
—	Smithfield Arg. Meat	18/6	19/6	
—	Spratt's Patent	2½	2⅝	
—	Union Cold Storage Pref.	19/6	20/6	
20/6	Van Den Berghs	2⅝	2⅞	
—	Do. Pref.	4½	5⅛	

LAND AND INVESTMENT.

—	Aboukir Land	1⅛	1⅜	
31/6	Argentine Land Invest.	1½	1⅞	
25/0	Do. Southern Land	1⅝	1⅞	
13/0	B.N.B. Land	12/0	13/0	
21/0	Forestal Land	21/0	21/9	
4⅞	Hudson's Bay Ord.	4⅜	4⅝	—⅛
20/6	Niger Pref.	8/0	9/0	
8/0	Pekin Syndicate	1⅝	1⅞	
24/6	Rio Negro Lands	6⅛	7⅛	
7½	Sudan Plantations			

IRON AND STEEL.

13/0	Armstrong (W. G.)	12/3	13/3	
9/0	Cammell Laird	8/9	9/9	
8/6	Dorman Long	8/3	9/3	
13/3	John Brown	13/0	14/0*	
8/6	Do. (15/- paid)	8/3	9/3*	
12/9	Pease and Partners	11/9	12/9	
41/3	South Durham Steel	40/9	41/9	
24/0	Siemens	25/9	26/9	+0/3
5/3	United Steel	5/0	6/0	+0/3
7/3	Vickers Ord.	7/6	8/6	
—	Weardale Iron C.P.O.	23/6	24/6	

NITRATES.

16¾	Alianza	17½	18½	
6	Lautaro Nitrate	6⅛	6⅝	+⅛
27/6	Lagunas Nitrate	5/6	6/6	
2⅛	Liverpool Nitrate	2⅛	2⅝	
2⅛	London Nitrate	2⅛	3⅛	
26/6	Rosario Nitrate	26/6	27/6	+1/0
1⅝	Santa Rita Nitrate	1⅝	1⅞	+⅛
2⅜	Santiago Nitrate	2⅜	2⅝	
11/0	Tarapaca Nitrate	11/6	12/6	+0/6

NEWSPAPERS.

5⅞	Asso. Newspapers Def.	5⅛	6⅛	—⅛
29 0	Allied News Ord.	28/11¼	29/11¼	+0/5¼
6⅛	Daily Mirror Ord.	6⅛	6⅜	—⅛
3⅜	Sunday Pictorial Ord.	77/0	78/0	+1/3

SHIPPING.

		9/6	10/6
10/6	Cargo Fleet	25/0	27/0
—	Court Line	15/6	16/6
—	Cunard Ord.	17/9	18/9
18/3	Elder Dempster 6 p.c. Pf.	27/0	28/0*
—	Furness Withy	260	270
—	P. and O. Def.	84	87
—	Royal Mail Ord.		

TEXTILES AND STORES.

		7/6	8/0	
7/3	Amalgamated Cotton	64/0	65/0	—1/0
64/0	Bleachers	75/6	76/6	—1/0
71/9	Bradford Dyers	7/9	8/3	
7/6	British Celanese Ord.	33/6	34/6	—0/6
32/6	Calico Printers	59/9	60/9	
60/0	Coats	112/6	113/6*	—2/0
106/0	Courtaulds	57/0	58/0	
57/6	English Sewing Cotton	47/6	48/6	—1/6
47/9	Fine Spinners	2⅛	2⅜	—⅛
56/3	Grouts	45/0	46/0	
43/6	Harrods	1⅛	1⅛	
21/6	Hollins (Wm.)	1⅞	2	
—	Linen Thread Ord.	29/6	30/6*	—0/6
30/6	Lister Ord.	1⅛	1⅛	
—	Selfridge 6 p.c. Pref.			

MISCELLANEOUS INDUSTRIALS.

M.U.—July 21.				
29/6	African and East. Trade	29/0	30/0	
3½	Anglo-Argentine 1st Pref.	3	3⅛	
13/3	Associated Cement	13/3	14/3	—0/6
16/0	Do. Pref.	15/10½	16/4½	—0/1½
38/6	Borax Con. Def.	37/6	38/6	
60¼	Brazilian Traction	59¼	61¼	
27/6	British Portland Cement	27/0	28/0	—0/6
—	British Glass	6/9	1/3	
—	B.S.A.	11/6	12/6	
12/0	British Oil and Cake	26/9	27/9	
27/7½	Brit. Col. Electric Rail.	82	85	
83	Do. 4½ p.c. Debs.	88	91	—0/6
104/6	Brit.-Amer. Tobacco	103/0	104/0	
28/3	Brunner Mond	37/0	28/9	
51/0	Bryant and May	2⅜	2½	
—	Carreras	10⅞	11⅛	—⅛
—	De la Rue Deb.	20⅞	21⅛	
—	Dunlop Rubber	17/0	18/0	—0/1½
18/6	Do. Deb.	102	105*	
18/0	Do. Amer. Tire Deb.	104	106*	
—	English Electric	17/0	18/0	
—	Finlay (James)	3⅛	3⅜*	
23/9	General Electric Ord.	22/6	24/6	+0/3
—	Do. Debs.	103	106	
—	Gramophone Ord.	1⅜	1⅝	
100/6	Imperial Tobacco Ord.	98/0	98/6	
20/0	Lever 7 p.c. Pref.	19/7½	20/1½	
—	Lever 7 p.c. Debs.	101	106	
—	Lever 5 p.c. Debs.	95	97	
—	Mexican Trams	15	20	
17	Do. Bonds	61	64	
—	Do. L. and P. Bonds	62	65	
65¼	Nobel Ord.	23/3	23/9	
23/6	Do. Pref.	20/9	21/3*	+0/3
21/0	Do. Def.	9/9	10/3	
—	Parent Trust Def.	1⅝	1⅞	
1⅛	Do. Ord.	1⅛	1⅜	
21/0	Platt Bros. Ord.	25/6	26/6	—0/3
25/6	Prov. Cine. 7½% Pf.-Ord.	29/0	30/0	+0/3
—	Rolls Royce	26/6	27/6	
29/0	Sal' Union	26/6	27/6	
27/6	San Paolo Tram Deb.	96	98	
94½	Shawinigan Water Debs.	102	107	
—	Swedish Match "B"	11	11¼	—¼
10½	Taylor's Service	22/3	22/9	—0/9
—	Tilling Ord.	2⅞	2⅛*	
—	Do. 5½ p.c. Cum. Pref.	4⅛	4⅝	
—	United Alkali	1⅛	1½	—⅛
26/0	Wallpaper Def.	26/3	26/9	

OILS.

4	Anglo-American	4⅛	4⅜	—⅛
1⅛	Anglo-Ecuadorian	1⅜	2	—⅛
1⅛	Anglo-Egyptian "B"	1⅛	1⅞	—⅛
25/6	Anglo-Persian 8 p.c.	25/6	26/0	
25/6	Do. 9 p.c. 2nd Pref.	25/6	26/0	
3⅞	Do. Ord., issued 3½ p.c.	3⅜	3⅞	—⅛
92¼	Do. 5 p.c. Deb.	94½	96½	
2⅞	Apex Trinidad	2⅞	3⅛	—⅛
1¼	Attock	1⅛	1⅜	—⅛
5/8	Brit. Borneo Pet. (10/-)	6/6	7/0	
7/1½	British Burmah (8/-)	15/10½	16/1½	—0/10½
17/3	British Controlled	15/7½	15/10½	—0/10½
17/0	Do. Pref.	13/7½	14/1½	
3⅛	Burmah	2⅞	3⅛	
2/0	Do. 8 p.c. Pref.	28/0	27/0	
—	Caltex	1/10½	2/1½	—0/1½
3/3	Dacia Romano	8/6	9/6	
8/6	Eagle Transport	8/6	9/6	
100	Do. 7 p.c. Notes	100	101	
101	Do. Bearer	100	102	
15/6	Kern River (10/-)	14/7½	14/10½	—0/4½
6⅛	Lobitos	6⅛	6⅜	
17/6	Mexican Eagle	16/0	16/6	
15/9	Do. Pref.	14/4½	15/1½	
15/4½	North Caucasian (10/-)	14/7½	15/1½	
4/3	Oropuche (4/- sh. f.p.)	4/0	5/0	
3/7½	Phoenix	3/6	3/6	—0/1½
20/7½	Royal Dutch	19/9	20/3	—0/6
32½	Shell Transport	32⅛	32⅞	—⅛
4⅛	Do. 5 p.c. Pref. (£10).	4⅛	4⅜	—⅛
4⅛	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	4⅛	4⅜	
25/6	Spies (10/-)	25/4½	25/10½	
2/9	Steaua Romana	1/6	2/0	
11/0	Tankers Pref.	10/3	10/6	—0/4½
5/0	Trinidad Central	4/9	5/0	
8/0	Trinidad Lease	7/0	8/0	
2⅞	United Brit. Trinidad	2⅛	2⅜	
6/3	Ural Caspian	6/0	6/6	—0/1½
2⅞	V.O.C. Holdings	4/6	5/0	
2¾	Do. 7 p.c. Pref.	2⅞	2⅞	—⅛
		2⅞	2⅞	—⅛

RUBBERS.

60/0	Anglo-Dutch	55/10½	—0/6
6/0	Anglo-Java	5/4½	—0/0¾
1½	Anglo-Malay	28/6	—0/1½
7/3	Bertam Cons.	5/10½†	—0/1½
4/10½	Bukit Mertajam	4/6	—0/1½
3/3	Bukit Sembawang	2/9	—0/1½
—	Bunbar	25/0	—2/0
1⅛	Damansara	21/1½	—0/7½
33/6	Grand Central	32/6	+1/3
2/6	Highlands	46/3	—0/0¾
3/9	Kamuning	3/1½	+0/3
8/0	Kepong	7/4½	
33/3	Kuala Lumpur	68/0	—0/9
1⅝	Kuala Muda (f.p.)	32/9	+0/7½
1¼	Labu	33/7½	—0/10½
2⅜	Linggi	4/9	—0/1½
2¾	London Asiatic	4/9	+0/6
2⅝	Malacca	58/3	—0/6
2⅛	Malayalam	47/3	—0/1½
2⅛	Merliman	4/9	—0/7½
2⅛	Mooply Valley	43/0	+0/3
48/0	Rubber Trust	44/3	
2⅛	Seafield (New)	31/3	
—	Sendayan	40/3	
—	Do. New Issue (f.p.)	38/3	—0/7½
2⅞	Siginag	40/4½	—0/6
—	Straits Rubber	24/6	
2⅛	Tali Ayer	28/6	—1/3
2⅛	Tandjong	50/0	
—	Tandjong Malim	27/3	—0/8
—	United Sua Betong	82/6	—2/6
19/0	Do. Do. New (f.p.)	80/0	—0/3
	Vallambrosa	17/0	

Ampat	5/10½ —0/1½	N. Hummock	22/3 —1/6
Anglo-Sum	70/0 —2/0	P.P.K.(C'yl'n)	32/0 —0/3
Bah Lias	40/0 —0/4½	Pataling	25/0 +0/7½
Batu Tiga	15/4½ +0/3	Pegoh	52/6 —1/9
B.N.B.R. Trst	15/4½ +0/3	Pilmoor	4/1½ —0/1½
Bukit Kab.	20/6*	Rim Malacca	23/6 —1/6
Bukit Rajah	7/4½ —0/4½	Rub. E. Johore	23/6 —1/6
Castlefield	9/1½	Sapong	27/0 —0/3
Chersonese	9/4½	Sarawak'de	15/6 —0/6
Cicely	17/0 —0/3	Sekong	3/10½ —0/1½
Dennistown	27/0 —0/3	Selangor	23/7½ —0/7½
Eastern Trust	47/6 —0/9	Sepang Sel.	35/0 —3/1½
Gen. Ceylon	23/6 —1/9	Seember Ajoe	36/3 +1/1½
Glenbervie	21/6 —0/3	Sungei Chob.	24/0 —0/6
Glenshiel	21/6 —0/3	Sungei Kapar	5/7½ —0/1½
Golden Hope	24/1½ +0/7½	Sungei Kr. Pf.	47/6 —1/7½
Java Amal	32/6	Talping	2/3¾
Kapar Para	40/0 —0/9	Tamiang	37/0 —1/0
Kalantan	2/3¾	Tebrau	34/6
Kepitigalla	4/0	Telogoredjo	71/9 —0/3
Kombok	41/1½ —1/1½	Tempeh	3/3 +0/0¾
Langkat Sum	33/0* —2/0	Un. Temiang	3/9 —0/0¾
Ledbury	33/0* —2/0	Yam Seng	3/0
Manch'terN.B.	28/3*		
Membakut	28/3 —0/6		
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* Ex div. † Ex rights. ‡ Cum div. § Ex bonus.

TEAS.

Amal. Estates	38 —⅛	B.I. & Ceylon	56/0
Anglo-Ceylon	44/0*	E. Assam	35/0
Assam Co.	42/4½* —0/4½	East Produce	84/3
Assam Cons.	17/0	Empire	51/1½ —0/10½
Assam Dooars	4⅛ + ⅛	Galaha Ceylon	47/7½ —0/3
Assam Front'r	6⅛	Imperial	78/9 —0/7½
Aso. T.E. Cy'in	30/0 —2/9⅞	Jhanzie	83/7½ —0/7½
Borelli	33⅛	Jokai	84/6
Brahmapootra		Jorehaut	32/6 —1/3
British Assam	28/6	Lungla	65/0
Brit. Indian	36/0	Majuli	62/0
Cachar & Do'ar	60/6*	Moabund	61/3*
Ceylon Plant.	59/0	Nedeem	61/3
Chubwa	30/0	New Sylhet	5/11½ —0/2½
Chulsa	30/0	Peacock & Nil	3/7½ —0/3
Con. Tea & L.	38/6 +1/0	Poonmudi	33/10½ —0/1½
Darjeeling Co.	18/3	Rosehaugh Cey	33/10½ +0/3¾
Deundi	62/3¾	Singlo	59/4½ +0/3¾
Dimbula Val.	67/0	Tea Share Trus	32/7½
Dooars	95/0	Travancore	100/3‡ +2/9¾
Doom Dooma		Up. Assam	54/4½ —1/10½

*Ex-div. †Plus share bonus. §Ex-bonus.

INSURANCE SHARES.

BUSINESS DONE IN LONDON:—Alliance New, 16, ⅛, 16 £16 2/3, 16½; Commercial Union, 22⅛; Consolidated Assurance Ord., 18/9, 6d., 17/3; London Associated Reinsurance, 6/6; North British, 22⅛; Prudential "A," 21⅛; £22 1/-; ditto "B" Shares, 37/3; Royal Exchange, 6⅛, £6 14/6; Royal Insurance, 31⅛; Sun Insurance, 21⅛; Caledonian Insurance (£1 paid), 15½, ⅛.

BUSINESS DONE IN LIVERPOOL.—Alliance New, 16⅛; Caledonian, 319/9; Commercial Union, 22⅛; Employers' Liability, 83/6, 4/-; London and Lancashire, 20⅛; Northern Assurance, 14⅛; Phœnix, 12⅛; Royal Insurance, 31⅛.

THE BANK RETURN.

INCREASED DEPOSITS.

Owing to another transfer of £500,000 of Bank of England notes to the currency department and seasonal increase in the demand, the note circulation of the Bank of England is about £1,360,000 up; so that, in face of an addition of a little over £1,000,000 to coin and bullion, due to the influx from abroad, the reserve is nearly £336,000 lower for the week at £39,257,012. The public deposits are fully £5,000,000 higher. There is a decrease of £1,360,000 in the Government securities and of £587,000 in the other securities; so that, with the drop in the reserve and a moderate increase in the "rest," the private deposits are £7,427,000 lower at £103,264,019. Owing to this last change the proportion of reserve to liabilities is fully ¼ better at 31⅛ per cent.

WEEK ENDED JULY 29, 1925.

ISSUE DEPARTMENT.

Notes Issued	£182,216,490	Govt. Debt	£11,015,100
		Other Securities	8,734,900
		Gold Coin and Bullion	162,466,490
	£182,216,490		£182,216,490

BANKING DEPARTMENT.

Proprietors' Capital	£14,553,000	Government Securities	£33,600,438
Rest	3,519,702	Other Securities	69,173,912
Public deposits	20,690,065	Notes	37,465,695
Other deposits	103,264,019	Gold & Silver Coin	1,791,317
7-day & other Bills	4,556		
	£142,031,362		£142,031,362

Compared with last week:	Increase. £	Decrease. £
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	1,359,160	—
Public Deposits	5,115,972	—
Other Deposits	—	7,426,915
Government Securities	—	1,359,691
Other Securities	—	587,645
Bullion	1,023,547	—
Rest	28,051	—
Reserve	—	336,575

Proportion of Reserve to Liabilities 31⅛%, against 31⅛% last week.

The following shows the position of the Bank of England now and during the previous two years:—

	1925.	1924.	1923.
	£	£	£
Circulation (excluding 7-day and other Bills)	144,750,795	127,092,165	126,621,700
Public Deposits	20,690,965	12,193,603	12,784,460
Other Deposits	103,264,019	111,991,492	105,759,212
Govt. Securities	33,600,438	45,762,467	45,898,731
Other Securities	69,173,912	75,495,077	69,920,637
Reserve of Notes & Coin	39,275,012	20,966,500	20,769,138
Coin & Bullion	164,257,807	128,308,665	127,640,838
Reserve to Liabilities	31⅛%	16⅛%	17⅛%
Bank Rate	5%	4%	4%
Consols	56⅞	56⅞	58⅞
Bar Silver	31⅛d.	34⅛d.	30⅞d.
	£	£	£
Clearinghouse Return	708,937,000	699,730,000	688,272,000

A case of sleepy sickness has occurred at Ibstock, Leicestershire.

NATIONAL BANK MEETING.

TRADE CONDITIONS IN IRELAND.

INCOME TAX.

Mr. James B. Meers, C.B. (Chairman), presided at the half-yearly meeting of the proprietors of the National Bank held at noon yesterday at 34 College Green, Dublin. The other directors present were:—Senator Sir Thomas Henry Grattan Esmonde, Bart., chairman of the Irish Board and deputy-chairman of the bank; M. J. Cooke, Esq., deputy-chairman of the London Board; J. P. Butler, Esq.; R. J. Kelly, Esq., K.C.; Right Hon. the Earl of Kenmare, C.V.O.; T. P. Morrissey, Esq.; James J. O'Connell, Esq., and Sir John R. O'Connell, LL.D.; and David McDonald, Esq. (auditor); Thomas Geoghegan, Esq., F.C.A. (auditor); A. Simms, Esq. (solicitor); W. M. Roche, Esq., secretary to Dublin Board; S. J. Toole, Esq., chief inspector; D. W. Jackson, Esq., manager at College Green.

Also—Messrs. Michael Anthony, Edward S. Barry; Miss Meanen U. Barry; Messrs. Hubert Briscoe, Matthew Coghlan, W. M. Collins; Miss B. Conway; Messrs. James Cregan, Louis Culleton; Very Rev. T. H. Canon Cummins, D.D., P.P., V.F.; Messrs. T. A. Curtis, Richard Duggan, John Dunlea, R. J. Egan, P. F. English, W. A. Fagan, Michael Fingleton, Thomas Fitzgerald, E. F. Fitzpatrick, Richard Freestone; Miss M. J. Gaffney; Messrs. P. Galavan, C. P. Glennon, Richard Hanley, P. J. Hayes, T. J. Hayes, E. T. Keane, J. D. Kelly, M. A. Kennedy, William Kilmartin, C. F. Knox; Mrs. A. E. Leared; Messrs. E. R. Y. Leared, James Mahony, A. S. Manning, R. J. Maume, O. S. Maunsell, James Mullally, Peter McDonnell, W. J. McGrath, J. McKenna, F. B. O'Brien, S. C. O'Connell, J. A. O'Connor, M.B.; Morgan O'Doherty, Patrick O'Farrell, J. J. O'Heney; Captain T. P. Purcell; Messrs. H. A. Russell, J. J. Ryan, R. S. Sandys, S. F. Scroope, P. B. Shiel, A. P. Spain, J. J. Stafford, H. A. Sterne, Walter Thomas, John Thompson, Charles O'C. Tully, Val. J. Turner, John Walker, Richard Whitfield, M. J. Wolfe.

THE CHAIRMAN'S STATEMENT.

The Chairman, proposing the adoption of the report and statement of accounts, said:—

DEATH OF THREE DIRECTORS.

Ladies and gentlemen, before proceeding with the business of to-day's meeting my first duty is to refer, with great regret, to the loss which we have sustained by the death of two members of our Board since I had the pleasure of addressing the shareholders in London in January last. The first to leave us was our old friend, Major Patrick Walter Stafford, who died at a ripe old age in April last. Major Stafford was the senior member of our Board, and had been a director for over thirty years. He always took a great interest in the affairs of the bank, and up to the end attended regularly to his duties as a director. He was a genial and able colleague, and we miss him very much from the boardroom table.

In June last we lost our very able colleague, Lord MacDonnell of Swinford. His brilliant public career is known to you all. When, somewhat late in life, he became one of our directors, he devoted his marvellous energies and remarkable talents to learning the intricacies of banking, and, in a comparatively short time, became one of our most trusted advisers. He was fond of the bank, and worked ungrudgingly and enthusiastically in its interests. Up to the last he was one of our most regular attendants, practically being in harness to the end, as I think he would have wished to be, leaving behind him the memory of a trusted friend and wise counsellor.

For these vacancies our old friend, Mr. John Philip Butler, and Captain the Hon. Henry Edmund Fitzalan-Howard have been co-opted as directors, and I shall presently ask you to confirm their appointments.

Since the report which is in your hands was printed the Board has sustained a further loss in the death of another very able colleague, Sir William Joshua Goulding. He has passed away at a comparatively early age, after a long illness, which he bore with marvellous fortitude. Only a few days before his death I received a letter from him on a matter connected with the bank, thus showing that up to the last he was able to continue to take a keen interest in our affairs. It is unnecessary for me to allude to Sir William's great business capacity. Combined with his capabilities, he possessed a great love of sport, and he never spared himself in the matter of promoting the interests of the many undertakings with which he was connected.

We have thus lost, in the short space of six months, three of our colleagues on the Board, each of whom gave of his best to the bank. They were warm-hearted Irishmen, and their memory will remain long with us. The vacancy caused by the lamented death of Sir William Goulding we propose to fill by co-opting Sir George Murphy, a gentleman known to you all and not unknown in banking circles in this city.

You will, no doubt, as usual, kindly allow the directors' report and statement of accounts to be taken as read.

THE BALANCE SHEET.

I turn now to the balance sheet, and, commencing with the liabilities, I proceed to deal with the principal items and to compare the figures with those of twelve months ago. Our "reserve fund" has gone up by £75,000 to £1,225,000, to which is added a further £25,000 out of this half-year's profits, making a present total of one million and a quarter pounds. "Notes in circulation" show an increase of £222,000. "Deposits and current accounts" are down by approximately £1,400,000. This falling off in resources is general amongst Irish banks.

Now I take the "assets" side. On the first item, "cash in hand," there is a decrease of some £350,000, while "money at call" is up by about £400,000. Our holdings of short-dated Government Securities are £1,190,000 less, whilst the "Government Securities" held for reserve fund are up by £75,000. There is a decrease of £53,000 in "Corporation Stocks, etc.," due to some of our holdings having been paid off at maturity. "Advances" have gone up by £75,000, while "bills discounted" are down by £58,000. Summarising the totals, it will be seen that our aggregate means stand at £44,400,000, while our liquid assets give a proportion of over 58 per cent. as against our liabilities to the public payable on demand.

It will be seen from the profit and loss account that we pay a dividend of 14 per cent., less British income tax at 3s. 2d. in the £. This absorbs the sum of £88,375. We place £35,000 to "income tax and contingencies account"; £25,000 to "reserve," raising that fund, as I have already stated, to the satisfactory figure of £1,250,000; £25,000 is applied in reduction of "bank premises"; and a sum of £12,000 goes to inaugurate our Staff Widows' and Orphans' Fund—to which I will immediately refer. We carry forward £30,971.

I submit, ladies and gentlemen, that the deductions to be drawn from the figures which I place before you point to a very healthy record.

ESTABLISHMENT OF STAFF WIDOWS' AND ORPHANS' FUND.

With regard to our proposal to inaugurate a Staff Widows' and Orphans' Fund, I would, ladies and gentlemen, like to say that we have long felt that it would be very desirable to make such provision for the benefit of our staff. The fund at present in existence—the Officers' Personal and Representatives' Fund—does not at all meet the situation. We have, therefore, subject, of course, to your confirmation, decided to combine with it a Widows' and Orphans' Fund, and we ask you to vote a sum of £12,000 for the latter object. By the establishment of this fund, which I hope to bring into operation as from the 1st January next, and which will be contributory both on the part of the bank and the staff, we fall into line with the practice of most banking institutions, and I trust the staff will take full advantage of the benefits of the fund. All new entrants will be required to join.

RESUMPTION OF THE GOLD STANDARD.

It is not possible, ladies and gentlemen, to review the banking conditions ruling during the past six months without alluding to the resumption of the gold standard. It has affected, and will affect, banking until more settled conditions return. Much foresight was, of course, exercised by the responsible authorities in the matter, and the change was effected without unduly interfering with the Money market. There are some who appear to doubt the wisdom of this step, but it is generally accepted that before a rehabilitation of Europe—still, of course, suffering from the effects of the Great War—can take place, Governments must, of necessity, aid in the improvement of the economic conditions of each country. The resumption of the gold standard by Great Britain shows what prudent and constitutional finance can accomplish. It has only been made possible by the burden of personal taxation and other sacrifices. The immediate effect has been to raise the value of the £ sterling to parity, and the example afforded by pointing the way to the stabilising of the exchanges, which is a most important factor in the direction indicated, should, if followed—as it must eventually be—by the other countries affected, largely solve the unsatisfactory conditions now ruling in this Continent, and which are causing us so much concern.

TRADE CONDITIONS IN ENGLAND AND IRELAND.

There is no doubt that trade conditions in England are not, at the moment, satisfactory. As a matter of fact, all export countries must, in view of the existing world-wide conditions, suffer, and some years must elapse before a return to normal standards can be expected. Trade in the Free State must be affected, to a certain extent, by conditions in Great Britain, with whom such a large export trade is carried on.

Agriculture has, as you know, always been, and still is, Ireland's main industry. The previous year's harvest had, as a result of an excess of continuous rain, been most indifferent. Cattle and sheep, particularly on the Western seaboard and on the low-lying pasturages inland, died in large numbers from "fluke." Turf, as a fuel, was so scarce in certain districts that the Government had to distribute coal in small quantities, and relief works, mainly in the form of road repair, were undertaken, which, to some extent, alleviated the distress. I am very glad, however, to say that this year there is every prospect of a bountiful harvest. All crops are looking well. I am informed that hay is somewhat light in weight, but is excellent in quality, and that cereals and potatoes are very good. The Free State Executive, in devoting its energies to the re-organisation of the export trade, particularly of agricultural exports, is laying the foundation of the future prosperity of the country, and it only needs the hearty co-operation of all concerned to successfully meet all competitors.

MORE TILLAGE WANTED.

I must say that I would like to see more land under tillage in Ireland. I think I drew attention to this when I last had the pleasure of addressing you. Ireland, being an agricultural country, should not have to import foodstuffs to any great extent. The tilling of land also means more labour, and would solve, to a certain extent, the unemployment question.

Before leaving this subject, I would like to draw your attention to the arrangements which the bank is making with a view to fostering one of our greatest agricultural industries—the export of cattle to Great Britain. You will judge the importance of the live stock trade when I say that practically half the exports of the Free State consist of live stock, the value of same being, in the last twelve months, over twenty million pounds.

We have recently opened sub-offices in two of the greatest English buying markets, Salford (Manchester) and Wakefield (Yorkshire), and the bank can now give the very best facilities to dealers and farmers in Ireland who desire to sell direct in these well-known markets. The bank has, as I previously announced, acquired the Salford and Wakefield Cattle Markets banking business and premises of Messrs. R. Wharton and Sons, who had been established for over fifty years, and whose name is well known to many Irish dealers who, in the past, have had business in these markets.

At Wakefield, the bank has acquired possession of lairages and stalls for cattle with accommodation for over three hundred beasts, and, in addition, is possessed of well-sheltered grass land for use in summer; thus, beasts arriving the day before, under previous arrangements, are fed and rested and turned fresh into the market. The bank has a qualified cattle-man in constant attendance.

We intend, ladies and gentlemen, to make futher arrangements to have the bank also represented in other large buying markets, and you will, I know, approve of our anxiety to do everything possible to extend and develop this most important trade.

INCOME TAX.

I think it is well for me to refer again, as I did last year, to the unpleasant subject of income tax. I do not propose to repeat the history of the complications arising over the liability of the bank to assessment both in the Free State and in Great Britain, except to say that it is now becoming possible to ascertain the position of the relative taxes in the two countries at an earlier date than hitherto, and I may say that the Revenue officials are hoping to come to some administrative arrangement by which it will no longer be necessary to wait until the end of April in each year to ascertain what the taxes amount to. We are taking some further steps in the direction I indicated, so as to try and make the complications less complicated in order to help the shareholders at both sides of the Channel.

You may possibly have observed on the dividend warrants which were sent out to you last January that the rate at which English tax was deducted was 3s. 2d. in the £, as compared with 3s. 4½d. in the £ on the July dividend warrants of 1924, and I may say that this figure of 3s. 2d. in the £ proved to be an intelligent anticipation of events, because when in May of this year the facts were ascertained, so that the exact proportion of tax payable in the two countries could be known, it was found that for the fiscal year 1924/25 the proportion of profits which were taxable both in the Free State and in England was 60 per cent. of the total, and the proportion subject to British tax was only 40 per cent. The result was that the rate of British tax, after allowing Dominion income tax relief, was found to be 3s. 2d. in the £, instead of 4s. 6d., and accordingly that amount is the amount deducted from the dividend, and will be the amount on this coming distribution. I know this is a terribly complicated question, and the majority of us do not understand it, but it is in the hands of experts who were doing the best they can to simply it.

Our Income Tax Departments, both in Dublin and London, will always give every possible assistance to our shareholders in obtaining any repayments which may be due to them, and agreeing any further demands that may be necessary in connection with the dividends.

I hope that the efforts which the League of Nations is making to arrive at an equitable solution of this vexed question of double income tax will, in course, prove successful, and thus simplify the matter.

STAFF.

I know, ladies and gentlemen, that I voice your sentiments, as I do those of my colleagues, when I offer our thanks to the staff for the loyal services they have rendered, and are still rendering, to the National Bank. In this connection it is very gratifying to me to be able to allude to the successes obtained by the staff at the Institute of Bankers' and other examinations during the past year. Our officers have gained a total of 64 distinctions, including first, second and third places at the Preliminary Examination of the Institution of Bankers in Ireland. We have had much pleasure in distributing about £1,200 in prizes amongst the successful competitors. I trust this movement will continue to spread, and that every junior officer will be anxious to further his own interests, as well as those of the bank, by doing his best to acquire a thorough knowledge of banking and its allied subjects. Such training is bound to form that judgment which is necessary to a successful career.

I now beg to move the adoption of the report (which recommended a dividend at the rate of 14 per cent. per annum), and I will ask Sir Thomas Esmonde, the deputy-chairman, to second it. Before putting the resolution to the meeting I shall be glad to give any information and answer any inquiries which may be made.

Sir Thomas Esmonde seconded.

Mr. Shiel congratulated the Board on their excellent choice of that very able and most courteous gentleman, Mr. Cooke, as deputy-chairman of the London Board.

Mr. James Mahony congratulated the directors on having steered their shareholders so successfully through a very dangerous year, and on the report which they presented, and in which it was shown that their liquid assets stood at 58 per cent. against its public commitments. It certainly had been a trying year, which required prudence and foresight. The deposits, as in all banks, were down, but let them hope, with a good harvest, that these accounts would rise again. He trusted the Board would continue its policy of increasing the reserve fund until they had brought it up to the capital. (Hear, hear.) That he considered a very sound policy and fully agreed with it, because it commanded confidence. He was very pleased to see that one of the gentlemen added to the Board had considerable business experience, and that would, he thought, be a very valuable asset to his colleagues.

The Chairman said that he was very pleased to hear the references to Mr. Cooke, who, he might say, was their very best man. It was a great pleasure to the Board when the opportunity occurred to make him deputy-chairman, for which he was most fitted. As to the remarks of Mr. Mahony, he assured them that one of his first objects was to increase the reserve fund, which was the foundation of a bank. The past year, he would not hesitate to say, had been a very difficult time, but they had quite a fairly prosperous time, and were gratified with the results which he had just put before them.

The report was adopted.

On the motion of the Chairman, seconded by Sir Thomas Esmonde, the appointments of Mr. J. P. Butler and Captain the Hon. Henry Edmund Fitzalan-Howard as directors were confirmed.

Very Rev. Canon Cummins, moving a vote of thanks to the Chairman and directors for the excellent way they had managed the bank during the year, said that they as Irishmen ought to be very pleased at the success of their banks when so many Irish industries had come to grief. Their banks were eminently successful, and in the forefront of them was the National. It was, he thought, a great advantage for their bank to have its head office in the financial mart of the world, the advantages of which he had considerable experience. He asked the directors that the small borrowers from the bank would get favourable consideration in view of the very hard times they had gone through during the past few years. He joined with the Chairman in expressing regret at the removal of so many distinguished members of the Board and extended the sympathy of the shareholders to their relatives.

Mr. Glennon, as a grandson of one of the founders of the bank, seconded the motion and agreed with all that Canon Cummins had said.

The Chairman, in reply, said that Canon Cummins's remarks had been very gratifying, and especially so as his motion had been seconded by the grandson of one of the founders of the bank. He thought the bank had been always most tender to their customers who had small loans—in fact, that was one of their objects. He did not know if Canon Cummins had in mind any case of undue hardship——

Canon Cummins—No, no. It is quite the contrary, Mr. Chairman. (Hear, hear.)

The Chairman said that he was glad to hear that. Their thanks would help the Board to continue to do all they could for the bank and for the shareholders. (Hear, hear.)

THE MONEY MARKET.

LOANS EASIER.

Despite the big fall in market resources disclosed by the Bank return, conditions appeared to be rather more comfortable in Lombard street yesterday, partly due to Wednesday's borrowing at the Bank. Short loans were generally obtainable at 4 to 4½ p.c., and these rates also applied to advances into next month. Renewals still went on at 3½ p.c. Discounts were steady, awaiting further developments. Fine three months' bills were quoted 4⅛ to 4¼ p.c., and second-hand Treasuries were 4⅛ p.c. Business, however, remained on a very small scale.

Bank Rate Discount (changed March 5, 1925.) 5%.

60 days (fine)	4⅛ 4¼%	Trade	5¼	5½%
3 months	4¼%	"		5½%
4 months	4⅜%	"	5¼	6%
6 months	4¼ 4⅜%	"	4½	3¾%
Loans to brokers day-to-day			4¾	3¾%
for a week				3%
Deposit allowance: Banks at call				3%
" " Discount houses at call				3¼%
" " at notice				

The spot price of silver advanced ⅛d. to 31⅞d. on buying by the Indian bazaars, but there was little doing forward, the price of which remained at 31⅛d. The market closed steady. The market price of gold advanced 1d. to 84s. 11½d. per fine oz. The balance of this week's arrivals was divided between India and the Continent. The Bank of England sold £46,000 of bar gold.

The sterling dollar rate fell ⅛ to 4.85⅛, and most European currencies showed an improvement. Exceptions were Belgian francs and Rumanian lei. French francs were better again at under 102.15. The lira rate further improved to below 131⅞, and there was a fair rally in Norwegian and Danish kroner, Oslo quoting about 28½ and Copenhagen less than 21¼. There was also an improvement in Polish zlotys, the rate falling back to 26. Serbian dinars were again better, and to a moderate extent Switzerland. Germany, Austria, Sweden and Greece moved against us. In the South American group Uruguayan dollars and Chilean pesos showed some improvement. No movement was reported in the leading Eastern exchange rates.

—	July 30. Highest and Lowest.		July 29. Closing Rates.		Par Rate
Amsterdam	12.09¾	12.10¼	12.09¾	12.10½	12.10
B. Ayres	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	45⅛	47.58
Barcelona	33.54	33.57	33.48	33.53	25.22
Berlin	20.39	20.41	20.40	20.41	20.40
Brussels	105.05	105.25	105.00	105.10	25.22½
Calcutta	1/6⅛		1/6⅛		2/0
Copenhagen	21.12	21.30	21.27	21.32	18.15
Finland	192½	192¾	192½	192¾	25.22½
Geneva	25.00	25.01½	25.01	25.02	25.22
Greece	311	312	312	315	25.22½
Italy	131½	132½	131¾	132½	25.22½
Kobe(p.yn.)	1/8⅜		1/8⅜		24.58d
Madrid	33.53	33.56	33.55	33.57	25.22½
Montreal	4.84⅞	4.85¼	4.84⅞	4.85⅛	4.86
Montevideo	49¾d.	49⅞d.	49⅝d.	49⅞d.	51d.
New York	4.85⅛	4.85⅞	4.85⅛	4.85⅞	4.86
Oslo	26.22	26.40	26.38	26.43	18.15
Paris	102.00	102.30	102.20	102.30	25.22
Prague	163¾	164	163¾	164	24.02
RioDeJan	5¾	5⅞	5¾	5⅞	16.
Shanghai	3/1⅛		3/1⅛		—
Singapore	2/4⅞		2/4⅞		2 4⅛
Stockholm	18.06	18.07	18.07	18.08	18.15
Vienna	34.49	34.55	34.50	34.60	34.58½
Warsaw	26.00	26.50	29.00	31.00	25.22½

*Sch. to £. † Nominal.

DEALINGS IN LONDON MARKET.

The following dealings among active stocks and shares were "marked" in London yesterday:—**Consols**—56, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 6⅛, ⅛. **5 p.c. War Loan**—100⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Conversion Loan 3½ p.c.**—76⅛, 7, 6⅛, 6⅛, 7⅛. **Funding Loan**—88⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 6⅛, ⅛. **Australia 5 p.c. Stock**—100⅛, ⅛. **Aerated Bread**—26/-, 6/-. **Amalgamated Press**—42/9, 4⅛d. **Anglo-Dutch Rubber**—55/-, 4/9, 6/-, 6/3, 5/7½, 9d., 6/6. **Assoc. Cement**—14/1½, 14/-, 13/9, 13/10½. **Associated Newspapers Def.**—6⅛. **Beecham Estates Pref.**—19/9, 20/-, 3d. **Bovril Def.**—43/6, 3/-. **Brazilian Traction**—60⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **British American Tobacco**—104/-, 3/9, 3/-, 3/6. **British Oil and Cake**—26/10½, 7/6, 7/3. **Bryant and May**—50/4½. **Buenos Ayres Great Southern**—88⅛, ⅛, 7⅛. **Calico Printers**—33/9, 4/-. **Canadian Pacific**—*147⅛, 5⅛, ⅛, *7⅛, 6⅛, 5⅛, 6⅛, ⅛. **Central Argentine Cons.**—72⅛, 3⅛. **Coats**—60/3. **Courtaulds** (x.d.)—114/3, 9d., 14/-, 15/-, 13/6, 9d., 7⅛d., 10⅛d., 15/-, 13/1½, 13/-, 12/9, *13/-, 13/7½, 14/4½, 15/3, 14/3, 10⅛d.; **do. Pref.**—19/3, 6⅛d., 6d., *3d., 3⅛d., 5⅛d., 19/-, *1⅛d. **Crosse and Blackwell**—2/3. **Crosses and Winkworth Pref.**—6/9. **Cunard Ord.**—15/10½, 16/-, 1⅛d., 16/-. **Daily Mail Ord.** (2/- paid)—46/3, 7/6. **Daily Mirror Ord.**—6⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Dunlop Ord.**—18/1½, 17/11¼, 10⅛d., *6d., 9d., *6d., *7⅛d., 18/-; **do. "C" Pref.**—23/-; **do. Debs.**—104⅛. **Elder-Dempster 6 p.c. Pref.**—18/4½, 1⅛d. **English Sewing Cotton**—56/3. **Fine Cotton Spinners**—48/9, 9/1½, 8/3. **General Electric Ord.**—24/3, 1⅛d., 4/-, 1⅛d.; **do. Debs.**—106. **German 3 p.c.**—7/-, 10/-, 3d., 4⅛d., 9/6, 8/9, 10/3, *10/-, 9/9, 7/3; **do. 4 p.c.**—7/6, 6/10⅛, 7/6; **do. 7 p.c. External Loan**—98⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Grand Trunk Pacific 4 p.c. Debs.**—40⅛, 39⅛. **Great Western Rail**—88⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, *8⅛, ⅛; **do. 5 p.c. Pref.**—*95⅛. **Greek 7 p.c. Refugee Loan**, 5/-, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Grout Ord.**—55/3. **Guinness Ord.**—1924—90⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Harland and Wolff Pref.**—13/-, 650, 41. **Harrod's Ord.**—45/-, 3d., 6d., 9d. 12/11⅛. **Hungarian 7½ p.c., 1924**—98, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Imperial Tobacco**—98/3, 8/-, 7/4⅛, 9d., 8/6, ⅛, 4⅛d., 7/9; **do. Canada**—25/4⅛. **Lever 7 p.c. Pref.**—20/1⅛, 19/7⅛ 20/-, 19/9, 11⅛d., 10⅛d., *7⅛d., 6d.; **do. 8 p.c. Pref.**—19/7⅛, 6d., 3d., 4⅛d., 6⅛d.; **do. 7 p.c. Debs.**—104⅛, *4, 5. **Lipton Ord.**—17/10⅛, 18/1⅛, 17/9. **Lister Ord.** (x.d.)—30/6, 4⅛d. **London, Midland and Scottish Ord.**—81, 80⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, *⅛, 79⅛, *80⅛, ⅛, 79⅛, 80⅛, 1. **London and N.E. Pref. Ord.**—*61⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—21⅛, *⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Lyons (J.) and Co. Ord.**—74/8⅛. **Marconi Ord.**—27/-, 6/6, 7/3, 6/9, 7/6, 6/9; **do. Debs.**—102⅛; **do. Canada**—4/4⅛, 7/6, 6/9. **Maypole Def.**—5/10⅛, 6/0⅛, 5/-, 11⅛d., 6/-. **Metropolitan Rail.**—70⅛, 69⅛, ⅛. **Metropolitan District**—45⅛. **Nobel Inds.**—23/6; **do. Pref.** (x.d.)—20/9. **Parent Def.**—39/3, 9d., 3d. **Peruvian Corp. Pref.**—32⅛, 3, 2⅛. **Phillips Godfrey Ord.**—44/-, 5/3, 4/6, 5/6, 4/9, 5/7⅛, 9d., 6/6, 7⅛d., 9d., 6/-, 4/3, 6/3, 9d. **P. and O. 5 p.c. Debs.**—100. **Prov. Cinema Theatres**—13/9. **Radio Corp. Com.**—*10⅛, ⅛; **do. Pref.**—9⅛, *⅛. **Rubber Trust**—44/-, 4⅛d., 3/10⅛, 4/3, 1⅛d., 3/6, 4/6, 4⅛d., *3/6, *3/9, *6d., 4/6. **Selfridge Pref.**—23/1⅛. **Southern Rail. Pref. Ord.**—77⅛, ⅛, *⅛, ⅛; **do. Def. Ord.**—40⅛, ⅛, 40, ⅛, 39⅛, *40, ⅛. **Shell Ord.**—*88/-, 6/10⅛, 7/2⅛, 9⅛d., 8/1⅛, 7/6, 6/10⅛, 8/5⅛, *8/7⅛. **Sudan Plantations**—7⅛, ⅛, 7, 6, 63-64, ⅛. **Sunday Pictorial Ord.**—77/6. **Swedish Match "B"**—11⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Underground Income Bonds**—98, 7⅛, 8⅛. **Union Cold Storage 8 p.c. Pref.**—20/-, 3d., 20/-. **United Dairies**—37/6, *6d. **United of Havana Rail.**—97⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, 6⅛. **United Premier Oil and Cake Ord.**—13/0⅛, 12/9. **Vickers**—8/-, Tobacco—85/10⅛, 6d., 3d., 5/-, 4/9. **Watney Combe Def.**—1⅛d., 7/10⅛, 9d., 10⅛d., 8, 300, 296, 295, 7, 300, 299, 302, 294, 5, 297⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, ⅛, 7⅛, 9, 6, 9. **Westminster Bank**—18⅛, ⅛, ⅛. **Workman Clark Debs.**—*14⅛, ⅛, ⅛.

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A quiet business was transacted yesterday. In Home Government stocks the 5 p.c. War Loan changed hands at 100⅛, 100⅛, 100⅛, 100⅛. Consols at 56, 3½ p.c. Conversion Loan at 77, and 5 p.c. National War Bonds, 1928, at 104⅛. In Corporation stocks, Belfast 5 p.c. stock was dealt in at 98⅛, and 6½ p.c. Mortgage at 102⅛. In Railway stocks, the only business recorded was in Great Northern Ord. at 37. In Bank shares, Northern Bank "B" brought 2⅛. Industrials were active. A transaction in York Street Ord. at 22 on 29th inst. was marked. Courtaulds were dealt in at 114s. 6d. A small odd lot of Laganvale Estates brought 17s. 6d. British American Tobacco Ord. were dealt in at 103s. 9d. Dunlop Rubber New at 17s. 9d., and Dunlop Old at 18s. and 17s. 9d. for a small odd lot.

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*Maloja	21,000	Aug. 28	Sept. 4	Colombo&A'tralia
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*Mashobra	8,266	Aug. 22	Sep. 4	EastAfricanPorts
Mandala	8,246	Aug. 29	Sep. 12	Madras&Calcutta
‡Nirvana	6,021	Sept. 1	Sep. 12	Bombay&Karachi
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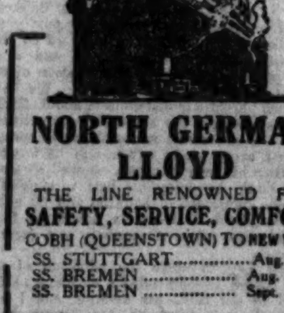
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LEGAL NOTICES.

ESTHER FRANCES de COURCY DUFF, late of Riversdale Park, Monkstown, County Dublin, Ireland, Widow, Deceased.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.—Pursuant to the Trusts Act, 1915, of Victoria, Australia, Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims against the estate, situate in Australia, of the above-named ESTHER FRANCES de COURCY DUFF, Deceased, who died on the Third day of May, 1924, and Probate of whose Will was granted by the Supreme Court of the State of Victoria, Australia, in its Probate Jurisdiction, on the 22nd day of May, 1925, to the NATIONAL TRUSTEES, EXECUTORS AND AGENCY COMPANY OF AUSTRALASIA, LIMITED, of No. 113 Queen street, Melbourne, in the said State, the Executor named in and appointed by the said Will in respect of the estate of the Deceased, situate in Australia, are hereby required to send detailed particulars (in writing) of such claims to the said Company at its above-mentioned address, on or before the First day of November now next, after which date the said Company will proceed to distribute the assets of the said Esther Frances de Courcy Duff, Deceased, which shall have come to its hands, amongst the persons entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which the said Company shall then have had notice, AND NOTICE IS HEREBY FURTHER GIVEN THAT the said Company will not be liable for the assets so distributed, or any part thereof, to any person of whose claim it shall not have had notice as aforesaid.

Dated this Seventeenth day of June, 1925.
Messrs. D. and T. FITZGERALD, Solicitors in Ireland for the said Company, 20 St. Andrew street, Dublin.

STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
In the Goods of
JOHN JAMES HARDY ROWLAND EUSTACE DUCKETT, late of Castlemore, Tullow, in the County of Carlow, Colonel in His Majesty's Army (retired), Deceased.

All persons having claims against the assets of the above-named Deceased, who died on the 26th day of December, 1924, are requested to send particulars to the undersigned Solicitor for the Administratrix, to whom Letters of Administration were granted on the 15th day of July inst., and who will distribute the assets of the Deceased after the 18th day of August next, having regard only to claims previously received.

Dated this 18th day of July, 1925.
J. B. McDERMOTT, Solicitor, 21 Nassau street, Dublin.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
PUBLIC NOTICE.
PROPOSED NEW CLASSIFICATION OF GOODS

Notice is hereby given that the Great Southern Railways Company has submitted to the Railway Tribunal proposals for a New Classification of Goods in pursuance of Section 26 of the Railways Act, 1924, and that copies of the proposals can be obtained from the Great Southern Railways Company, Kingsbridge, Dublin, price 35/-, post free.

Any party interested and desiring to submit to the Railway Tribunal objections to the Company's proposals or alternative proposals on his own account must obtain from the Registrar of the Railway Tribunal, 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin, forms for the making of such objections or proposals and must lodge with the said Registrar six copies of the objections or proposals on the said forms on or before the 30th day of September, 1925.

Notice will be given later of the date fixed for the consideration by the Court of the Railway Tribunal of the said proposals and of any objections and alternative proposals thereto.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1925.
JOHN O'BRIEN,
Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.
39/H232. W.H.Co.

SAORSTAT EIREANN.
IN THE COURT OF THE RAILWAY TRIBUNAL.
PUBLIC NOTICE.

STANDARD CHARGES.—Minimum Distances to be Charged for, Minimum Charges, Mileage Gradations, Forms of Schedules.

Notice is hereby given that in connection with the Schedules of Proposed Standard Charges to be submitted by the Amalgamated Company, in pursuance of Section 27 of the Railways Act, 1924, the Great Southern Railways Company has submitted to the Railway Tribunal proposals in respect of:—

(1) Minimum Distances to be charged for, and Minimum Charges to be made under Section 45 of the said Act.
(2) Forms of Schedules under the Fifth Schedule of the said Act.
(3) Mileage Gradations in respect of Schedules under the Fifth Schedule of the said Act.

Copies of the Proposals can be obtained from the Great Southern Railways Company, Kingsbridge, Dublin, price 5/-, post free.

Any party interested and desirous of being heard upon the consideration of the Proposals must lodge with the Registrar of the Railway Tribunal, 3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin, on or before the 30th day of September, 1925, six copies of his, or their, objections to the said Proposals, giving detailed reference to the Proposals as submitted by the said Railway Company and the reasons for the objections.

Notice will be given later of the date fixed for the consideration by the Court of the Railway Tribunal of the said Proposals and of any objections thereto.

Dated this 31st day of July, 1925.
JOHN O'BRIEN,
Registrar of the Railway Tribunal.
3 Upper Castle Yard, Dublin.
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STATUTORY NOTICE TO CREDITORS.
PATRICK DUIGNAN, late of 3 Killarney parade, North Circular road, Dublin, Deceased.

All persons having claims, not already furnished, against the estate of the above-named Deceased are required to send written particulars of such claims to the undersigned solicitor for the Executor, on or before the 20th August, 1925, after which date the assets will be distributed, having regard only to those claims of which notice shall then have been furnished.

Dated this 30th July, 1925.
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AT 15 Northumberland road—Furnished Apartments. 27 E

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AT Baggot street, Fitzwilliam street, or Fitzwilliam Place—Wanted by an excellent tenant (medical), Ground Floor Flat for Consulting Rooms. Replies to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street. 28 E

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A MODERATE sized House to Let, August, September, beautiful mountain country.—Glasnamullen, Enniskerry, Co. Wicklow. 27 E

A COTTAGE to Let, Furnished, August (vacant Friday); two bedrooms, gas; seen afternoons.—Rigley, Ballybrack. 28 F

AT Malahide—Furnished House in this pleasant seaside resort to Let; 3 sittingrooms, 4 bedrooms, maid's room, hot bath, garden; would Let for the summer or for year on very moderate terms. Apply to Dockrell Limited, South Great George's street. 28 E

ATTRACTIVE House (bath, etc.), Unfurnished, large garden, to Let, fifty pounds yearly; provincial town, Midlands. Address "Z 2095, House," this office. 28 F

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AT Kilcool, Co. Wicklow (near sea, station)—August, longer, charming House, h.c. bath, 10 apartments; also Bungalows; tennis.—32 Upper Merrion street. 'Phone, 2539.

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